

## WEATHER FORECASTS

**Victoria and Vicinity**—Fresh to strong northwesterly; east winds; mostly cloudy; becoming milder.  
**Vancouver and Vicinity**—Fresh northeast winds, shifting to easterly; cloudy and milder with fog patches.

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## GREEK TROOPS ADVANCING IN TWO SECTORS

**Italians Continue to Fall Back Toward Sea Under Smashing Attacks**

**DEEP SNOW IN NORTH BLOCKS SUPPLY LINES**

ATHENS, Dec. 16 (AP).—Smashing new advances on both ends of the Albanian battlefield were reported tonight by the army battling retreating Italians in near Arctic conditions.

An Italian general and a colonel were killed, military dispatches from the southern front said, when Greek forces driving toward Valona, one of the three remaining ports held by the Italians, stormed and captured a bitterly-contested height.

Pushing through snow three to ten feet deep, Greek mountaineers thrusting toward Elbasani from Pogradetz, on the northern front, battered down massed Italian reinforcements to win important new heights and take large numbers of prisoners.

**MORE PRISONERS TAKEN**

A Government spokesman announced capture of 200 prisoners and a senior officer when the Italians were driven from a position in the Drinios River valley, and said the Italians suffered heavy losses in that sector.

"The Italian army always retreats toward the sea," the spokesman said. "I would like to add, as we are now entering the eighth week of war that the initiative always belongs to us, and in the spite of the rough winter, the morale of our troops is excellent."

Referring to Italian claims of counter-attack, the spokesman said: "In fact the Italians have counter-attacked with choice troops, but all their attacks have failed in the southern sector. Choice troops have tried to capture the Skivik Heights which have been occupied and are being held by our troops."

**SENIOR OFFICERS LEFT DEAD**

Italian senior officers were among the dead left in the retreat on the southern front.

"In this sector our troops scored

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## FIRST YEAR IN ENGLAND ENDS

**Canadians Landed in Britain Twelve Months Ago—Period Reviewed**

WITH THE CANADIAN ARMY IN ENGLAND, Dec. 17 (CP).—A year ago today the first contingent of the First Canadian Division landed in the United Kingdom, vanguard of the thousands of sons of Canada who now form the Canadian army in England.

Reviewing the last twelve months in an interview with the Canadian Press, Lieut.-General A. G. L. McNaughton, corps commander, said: "It has been a year of great activity, considerable anxiety and marked progress in preparing the forces of Canada overseas.

**TRAINING COMPLETED**

"After the division moved into camp in England, its fighting equipment was completed. Training also was completed through individual, section, platoon, company and collective phases. The most important work had to be accomplished and every effort pressed."

The general recounted how Canadians had been equipped and ready to leave for Norway had the call come, and that at the time of Dunkirk and Calais one brigade group was aboard transports waiting to move to France. A force actually was sent to France but recalled as the French resistance collapsed.

"And now again there has been an anxious period while our troops have been in mobile reserve in Great Britain, grouped with British units in a corps." General McNaughton concluded.

**BACK IN WHITE HOUSE**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP).—President Roosevelt returned to the White House in mid-afternoon today after a Caribbean cruise, during which he inspected sites for United States defence bases.

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## Italian Forces Driven Out of Egypt



Here is a view of Sidi Barrani, fortified Italian base in Egypt, which has been captured by the British in their drive to the West along the Mediterranean coast. Sidi Barrani was the major capture effected by the Italians themselves in their early Fall offensive into Egypt. Yesterday two bases, Salum, in Egypt, and Fort Capuzzo, in Libya, were captured from the Italians.

## Berlin Bombed Twice as Royal Air Force Pounds Important Nazi Targets

**Fliers Are Finding Weather Is Quite Cold Enough Now**

AIRBANKS, Alaska, Dec. 16 (AP).—Arctic blasts today silenced completely the army officers who were complaining that the weather wasn't frigid enough for their cold-weather experimental flying. From last week's thawing conditions, the temperature dropped today to 70 degrees below zero at Beaver, just north of the Arctic Circle on the Yukon River. Port Yukon reported 62 below and Koyukuk 64 below. The minimum was only 38 below here.

**RAIDERS HIT BERLIN**

LONDON, Dec. 16 (TUESDAY), (AP).—The Royal Air Force during the night heavily attacked the German industrial town of Mannheim, it was reported authoritatively today. Informed sources said the raid lasted from 8 p.m. last night until the early hours this morning. "Many important targets with left in flames," it was said.

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LONDON, Dec. 16 (TUESDAY), (AP).—British bombers, attacking in two waves six hours apart, heavily pounded important targets last night and early today in Berlin, while fellow raiders poured high explosives on three other Reich war centers and two enemy merchantmen off the French coast.

The first attack on Berlin, at 9 p.m. Sunday, was hampered by clouds. The Air Ministry news service said, but the bombers were able to drop explosives on factories, railway stations and public utilities and start a big fire.

Some raiders had to seek alternate targets, but the second wave of attackers, roaring over at 3 a.m. today, had clear visibility and maintained the raid for more than an hour.

The Royal Air Force missiles hit railroad junctions, freight yards, a power station and a railway siding.

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## NAVY UNITS AT NAPLES BOMBED

**British Bombers Score Five Square Hits on Cruisers And Destroyers**

CAIRO, Dec. 16 (AP).—Bucking bad weather on Saturday night, a Royal Air Force communiqué today said, British bombers struck at the Italian west coast port of Naples and scored five square hits on a concentration of cruisers and destroyers. Four direct hits.

"You are a very brave woman," the King told her as they walked together through the debris-littered section.

In one area, the King saw how nearly every building for a quarter of a mile had been reduced to twisted girders and a few scattered walls.

His Majesty stood on a heap of blackened ruins which had once been the home of Mrs. Beatrice Herbert while she told him how she and her baby and three daughters were buried under tons of rubble in a recent air raid.

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## Retail Merchants of Victoria Prepare for Big Rush This Week

Seasonal Buying Increasing Steadily as Yuletide Holiday Draws Near—Gifts for Men on Active Service Are in Brisk Demand

**B**UT for the fact that there will be many empty chairs at Yuletide dinner tables, with Victoria boys in uniform overseas or in distant parts of Canada, Christmas, 1940, will be little different from those of preceding years.

Far removed from the actual dents are preparing to celebrate Christmas just as enthusiastically as they did last year.

Judging from the remarks of retail merchants, the war is doing little to deter Christmas shopping here. On the contrary, indications are that the aggregate turnover for the Christmas season will be considerably in excess of that of previous years, for Victoria people have been buying heavily not only for festivities at home, but also for gifts for men on active service and for relatives in the Old Country.

### CLERKS HELPFUL

What to give the boys in uniform? That is a question on which store clerks' suggestions are being sought, as mothers, wives, sweethearts and sisters search the shops for suitable gifts for another wartime Christmas. Obliging clerks have many helpful suggestions to put forward, and shoppers usually find their task made easy for them. Manufacturers are putting up small luxuries and comforts in forms most acceptable to men on active service, and convenient facilities are offered in many cases in wrapping and mailing the gifts.

Victoria shoppers will have an unbroken week in which to make purchases this week, for the Wednesday half-holiday will not be observed. However, there is the usual lack of uniformity in shopping hours. The two big department stores will observe the hours they put into force some years ago, but other retailers, apparently, have been unable to reach agreement on the question of "late" nights. Some will remain open on Saturday night and Christmas Eve; others will not.

### DEPARTMENT STORES

The Hudson's Bay Company store will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day with no extended hours on Saturday or Christmas Eve. David Spence Limited will observe the usual shopping hours, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., today and tomorrow, and for the remainder of the pre-Christmas shopping period the store will remain open until 6 o'clock each evening.

Stores all over the city are now preparing for the busiest time of all in the Christmas shopping period, the week immediately before the Yuletide holiday begins. Although colder than usual at this time of year, the weather so far has been dry, a condition much appreciated by women with much shopping to do, and merchants are hopeful that the fine weather will continue.

**NAZI ENVOY TO VICHY ARRIVES WITH GUARD**

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## Named to Local Rental Control Board



H. J. DAVIS

His Honor Judge Herbert H. Shandley Was Appointed to Head the Local Rental Control Board by Mr. Justice W. M. Martin, Dominion rentals control administrator, during His Visit Here Yesterday. Judge Shandley Will Be Assisted by Harry J. Davis, Victoria Barrister, and Alderman B. J. Gadsden.

## YUKON DISTRICT IS TALK TOPIC

Gerald A. Yardley Describes Territories Made Famous By Gold Strike

mitted to publish the news of Laval's dismissal.

Fears that Germany eventually might occupy all of France seemed to let Germany send troops through unoccupied France to aid Italian forces in Libya and Greece. Nazi preference for a route through Italy, instead of through Spain, was said to be to protect Italian home morale.

### OPEN TO SABOTAGE

Although France is a beaten nation, informed sources here pointed out, transit of troops through the unoccupied zone without Vichy's consent would involve elaborate precautions, both to maintain secrecy and to protect the Nazis from sabotage.

While railroads in the occupied zone are closely watched and partly operated by Germany, army railroads and all naval bases and ports in unoccupied France are completely in the hands of Frenchmen.

Advices from Vichy to diplomatic sources here said Petain and his Ministers considered the request, made through Pierre Laval before he was ousted as Vice-Premier and Foreign Minister last week, but turned it down.

It was said they looked on the request as an Axis attempt to gain a foothold on the French Mediterranean base.

**DELICATE SITUATION**

Interior Minister Marcel Pauyot used the word "delicate" to describe the country's position in warning newspapers to be careful in their handling of a swift-moving series of events.

These events included:

1. Announcement from Vichy that Petain intended to establish a consultative assembly to share "certain responsibilities" with him and his Ministers.

2. The long-awaited return of the remains of Napoleon Bonaparte's only son from Vienna to Paris, which was said by informed sources in Vichy to have been an important factor in the crisis which led to Laval's ousting last Saturday.

The French press, giving prominence to the ceremony today, said Hitler "invited Marshal Petain to attend the solemn ceremony," but "circumstances" prevented the French leader from doing so.

**GREEK TROOPS PUSH FORWARD**

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**FRONTIER**

Captured Italian prisoners indicated the weather was seriously impeding Fascist supply trains.

They were quoted as saying hundreds of Italians were out of action due to cold and pneumonia.

The Greeks, like many of the persons told of going for several days without food and ammunition.

So difficult had the going become, retreating Italians were said to have abandoned all heavy equipment and even their wounded.

The Greeks themselves sought relief from the cold in straw-covered pits.

Despite the weather, the Greek air force was declared to have kept active in reconnaissance and surprise attacks on Italian troop concentrations.

**NIGHT RAIDING OVER ENGLAND CUT SHORT**

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by high explosives in the customary pattern of air attacks, but quick work by the auxiliary fire service was said to have stopped the fire menace.

The Germans flew sporadically against Britain Monday and were over East Anglia and a West Midland town as night fell.

The Nazis today threatened Liverpool for a short while; dropped a dozen bombs on the outskirts of London and machine-gunned a town and a passenger train in East Anglia. The train crew and passengers jumped into a ditch, and the only casualty was a fireman wounded by a bomb.

One bomber dropped a stick of

**"NERVES" SHE CALLED IT**

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losing interest—losing friends—she never went out any more—always she thought—"Nerves" she thought—but it was her kidneys, the others had her blood, that needed attention.

She had Dodd's Kidney Pills of course. The improved state of her kidneys helped to clear away blood impurities and excess acids. Fatigue, headache, backache, lack of energy, disappeared.

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1000 mg. daily.

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Liver, lb.....	10¢
Hearts, lb.....	10¢
Round Steak, lb.....	25¢
Sirloin Steak, lb.....	25¢
Club Steak, lb.....	25¢
Minced Steak.....	2 lbs. 25¢
Steak and Kidney.....	2 lbs. 25¢
Cooked Tripe.....	25¢
Pork Chops, lb. ....	23¢
Pork Steak, lb. ....	19¢

CLOVER LEAF HERRINGS IN Tomato Sauce 7-oz. tins	2 for 17¢
LUNCHOUR CUT GREEN BEANS 3 tins	25¢
COLUMBIA PORK AND BEANS 15-oz. cans	4 for 23¢
LYNN VALLEY PEAS Sieve 5 3 tins	25¢

Royal Crown Soap Deal	
4 Bars Royal Crown Soap	
2 SWIRL TUMBLERS	
ALL FOR.....	23¢

FISH DEPT.	
Whiting Fillets, lb.....	15¢
Dressed Soles, lb.....	15¢
Silver Hake Fillets, lb.....	10¢
Fresh Black Cod, lb.....	9¢
Fresh Whiting, lb.....	9¢

GOLDEN KIST JAMS	
32 oz. jars	
Pure Raspberry.....	25¢
Pure Apricot.....	23¢

FRUIT DEPT.	
NAVEL ORANGES, doz.....	17¢
NO. 1 MIXED NUTS—Per 20¢	3 lbs. 57¢
SUNKIST GRAPEFRUIT	9 for 25¢
LARGE BRAZIL NUTS, lb.....	15¢

NABOB Instantaneous COFFEE	lb. 45¢
in the new FLAV-O-TAINER	
"The Bag that does not have to be dated"	

Wartime Package	You Save the Cost of the Tin
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AYLMER TOMATO OR VEGETABLE SOUP	2 tins 15¢
XMAS WINES Old English Style Large bottle	19¢

HYGRADE TEA	1-lb. pkt. 51¢
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LEISURE NO-RUB LIQUID FLOOR WAX	Pint 29¢
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**SENDING CONGRATULATIONS**

CAIRO, Dec. 16 (AP)—Amidst prolonged cheering from all parties in the House, Dr. Ibrahim Maher Pasha, President of the Chamber of Deputies, announced today he was sending congratulations to the Speaker of the British House of Commons, Captain E. A. Pitroay, for the British victory in the Western Desert.

**Former Victoria Man One of Two Officers Winning High Honors**

Capt. Douglas W. Cunningham Receives George Medal and Lieut. John M. S. Patton the George Cross for Conspicuous Gallantry

London, Dec. 16 (AP)—Two Canadian army officers today received high honors for conspicuous gallantry. Capt. Douglas W. Cunningham, of Calgary, and formerly stationed in Victoria, received the George Medal, and Lieut. John M. S. Patton, of Hamilton, Ont., was awarded the George Cross.

The honors were awarded the young Canadians—Cunningham is twenty-four and Patton a year older—for bravery displayed while they were commanding a company of the Royal Canadian Engineers repairing bomb damage.

Details of their actions were not published, but it was recalled the George Cross—next in line to the Victoria Cross, Britain's highest decoration—was instituted by the King as a reward for acts of gallantry connected with enemy action. The George Medal is awarded for gallantry and distinguished conduct.

True to the tradition of brave men, Cunningham and Patton declined to discuss their exploit.

**"COOL AS ICEBERGS"**

It was learned from eyewitnesses, however, that they behaved "cool as icebergs in doing a red-hot job" while Nazi bombers dived overhead.

"They risked their lives to remove a danger that threatened hundreds of people," one eye witness said.

The winners of these first decorations were members of the Canadian Army. In this war are both graduates of Queen's University, Kingston, Ont.

Patterson attended Trinity College School, Port Hope, Ont., and Westdale High School, Hamilton, before going to Quebec. He graduated in 1939 with a degree in chemical engineering. His wife lives in Kingston.

Cunningham went to high school in Calgary, graduated from Royal Military College at Kingston in 1937 and from Queen's a year later with a civil engineering degree. He joined the Canadian Permanent Force as a lieutenant in the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery and served for a time at Victoria.

His father, Col. D. G. L. Cunningham, who won the Military Cross in the last war, is stationed at Calgary. Mrs. Cunningham also lives in Calgary with her parents-in-law.

**WAS MARRIED AT DUNCAN**

Captain Cunningham, while stationed at Work Point Barracks, was married on October 6, 1939, to Miss Ivy Brown, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Brown, 1527 Olive Drive, the ceremony being held in the chapel of Queen Margaret's School, Duncan. Mrs. Cunningham is at present in Calgary, visiting her husband's parents.

Although details of the incident in which Captain Cunningham and Lieut. Patton distinguished themselves were withheld in London, a letter received here some time ago from one of the former's senior officers, states that the two young officers personally effected the removal of a delayed action bomb that threatened a factory and the lives of many workers. At the risk of being blown to pieces, Lieut. Patton secured a steel rope to the bomb, and Captain Cunningham, driving a truck, towed it into a field.

Newspaper reports state that Captain Cunningham's decoration was received with pleasure in Rugby circles in Victoria, in which he took an important part. Before going overseas, he was manager of the Garrison Rugby team last year and was a member of the Victoria Rugby Union selection committee.

**Obituary**

VIVIAN—At the family residence, 2621 Shakespeare Street, there passed away yesterday after a long illness, Phillip Vivian, at the age of eighty years. Mr. Vivian was born at Salcombe, Devon, England, and moved to this city thirty years ago from Crambrook, B.C. He is survived by his widow, Mary, and one son, Phillip, at the family residence. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the Colwood Burial Park. It is specially requested that no flowers be sent.

POWLES—There passed away Sunday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, after a very brief illness, George Harold Powles, of 370 Beach Drive, Oak Bay. Born in Vancouver, Mr. Powles, who was forty-three years of age, moved to this city two years ago from Montreal. He was a veteran of the Great War, having served overseas with the 4th Division for three years. He was a member of the Masonic Craft. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. A. C. Powles, Beach Drive; two brothers, Dr. E. S. Powles, Victoria, and Frank in Winnipeg; also two sisters, Mrs. W. F. Dew, in this city, and Mrs. H. H. Caldwell, Prescott, Ont. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. C. D. Clarke will officiate, and cremation will follow at the Royal Oak Crematorium. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

ALLEN—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away Sunday, Mrs. Edith Annie Allen, of 2738 Cadboro Bay Road. Mrs. Allen, who was sixty-nine years of age, was born at Peterborough, England, and moved to this city thirteen years ago from Port William. She was a valued member of St. Mary's Church, Oak

**Awards for Gallantry**

At left is the George Medal. Face shows St. George and the Dragon. On reverse is portrait of King George VI. The medal's ribbon is red with five narrow vertical blue stripes. At right is the George Cross. Face shows a circular medallion bearing the design of St. George and the Dragon. The inscription for gallantry appears around the design. The ribbon is dark blue.

**JOHN DEAN IS NINETY TODAY**

Highly-Esteemed Citizen Has Lived in Province for Fifty-Six Years

John Dean, a highly-esteemed and honored citizen, who has made a host of friends in Victoria since he arrived here fifty-six years ago, is today celebrating a momentous occasion—his ninetieth birthday.

Although he is getting as much as usual, and takes his customary keen interest in current events and happenings, Mr. Dean has not had robust health for some time, and intends to observe the anniversary quite quietly at his home, 572 Head Street, Esquimalt, where no doubt many messages of congratulation and good wishes will reach him before the day is over.

**BORN IN ENGLAND**

Known as one of Victoria's most kindly-spirited citizens, John Dean's interest in the community dates back to April 22, 1884, the day on which he arrived here on the steamship Queen of Pacific from California.

There passed away on Saturday at the Ross Nursing Home, 617 Douglas Street, George Henry Simonson, aged seventy-six years, after a long illness. Born in Sault Ste. Marie, Mr. Murton was one of a large family that moved to Victoria about fifty years ago.

For some years he was engaged in the lumber industry on the Island, and in 1898 made a trip into the Yukon with a party headed by Capt. George Kirkendall, where they spent a year prospecting in very wild country.

Mr. Murton was also one of the pioneers of the Comox district, where he engaged in farming for some years.

He leaves to mourn his loss two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Willi Murton, 550 Duplin Road, and Mrs. Fred Murton, 2215 Cook Street, also eight nieces and three nephews.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

**HANDING IT OUT AS WELL AS TAKING IT**

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Britain is shifting from a "purely defensive" policy to a general offensive in all theatres of war," George Gibson, chairman of the Trades Union Council, broadcast tonight.

"From now on," he declared, "our blows will grow heavier and the internal problem of the dictators will become more and more acute."

"From now on we shall be handing it out as well as taking it."

**Liberal Tree Party**

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Rumania Puts Ban on Exports

BERLIN, Dec. 16 (AP)—A Buchanan dispatch to the German News and Propaganda Agency said today the Rumanian Government had forbidden the export of poultry, either live or slaughtered, eggs, peat and oilcake on the grounds that existing stocks are barely enough for Rumania's needs. The ban is effective today.

**CONCERT TO BE HELD TONIGHT**

British Imperial Comrades' Association (Dominion Branch No. 14, Victoria) will hold a Christmas concert tonight commencing at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

The concert will be produced in the English music hall style and will feature several well-known local artists.

Proceeds of the affair will go towards the Lord Mayor's Fund. The energetic committee in charge is as follows: B. F. Sedd, Joseph Brown, F. Brooks, Mr. Hunter and T. Miller.

*The Gift everyone loves at Christmas*

# Neilson's CHOCOLATES

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## WASTING TIME

The fact that nothing has been done to implement the purposes of the national registration of the people taken nearly four months ago shows there has been muddling at Ottawa. The blame for this is placed on the Minister of Agriculture by The Globe and Mail, of Toronto. That newspaper says that the inventory of the country's man-power and woman-power should have been taken by the permanent officials of the Dominion Census Bureau, instead of creating a new organization for the purpose. Because this was not done there is now "a frightful mess" and a "fiasco." The Globe and Mail says: "What we fear is that the national registration has been messed up by people who are more concerned about making Canada safe for the Liberal Party than they were about making the world safe for democracy."

The trouble is that it still remains to classify the results of national registration. Apart from whatever check that inventory gives on the classes summoned for a month's military training, no use whatever has been made of the information secured, and yet Ministers of the Government are complaining that there is a shortage of skilled labor for munitions works. There would be no such shortage if the Administration were using its powers under the mobilization of resources legislation. The purpose of this act was to redistribute man-power and woman-power so that the greatest effort could be brought to bear on war purposes. Now, without bothering about the information available from national registration returns, the Government is talking of releasing men from the Services to work in munitions plants. There is no need for this. It would be a retrograde step, until first national registration is made to operate for the purposes for which it was decreed.

The Globe and Mail sees the whole fault of the situation that has arisen as due to Mr. J. G. Gardiner, the Minister of Agriculture, and the Minister, too, of National War Services, a man it describes as "the most party-minded member of the Ministry." His very name, says that newspaper, "is anathema to half of the electors of Canada, whose cooperation is absolutely essential to a united war effort." It goes on to say: "These certain Ministers persist in administering their departments as if this were a Liberal war."

What is obvious is that much valuable time is being lost and Canada's war effort is suffering proportionately. The Government maintains its political complicity impervious to the fact that it is losing the confidence of the people who are more concerned about the winning of the war than they are with the party fortunes of Mr. Mackenzie King and his Ministers. Arguments continue to accumulate in favor of a National Government.

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and abstaining from association with such crimes." From the highest moral standpoint of all the words of Scripture have their finality on the subject of reprisals: "Ye cannot drink the cup of the Lord, and the cup of devils; ye cannot be partakers of the Lord's table, and of the table of devils."

## OTTAWA AND VICHY

During the late sitting of Parliament, Mr. Mackenzie King was asked the following questions by Mr. L. L. Church (Broadview): (1) Does the Government recognize the provisional French Government of General de Gaulle? Is there now any Government regulation for inspection of the Vichy Embassy in Ottawa, and, if so, by whom? The Prime Minister replied: (1) General de Gaulle and his associates who are continuing to fight against the enemy do not constitute a provisional French Government. They have not been so recognized either by the Government of the United Kingdom or by the Government of Canada. (2) The Government is satisfied that no actions are being taken by the French Legation in Ottawa contrary to the interests of Canada or her allies.

In the matter of the first question, strictly speaking, the Prime Minister is right. General de Gaulle's movement is not spoken of as a provisional French Government, but it is a movement that is recognized by the British Government. It is not given similar recognition in Canada; could not be, in fact, so long as a legation of the men of Vichy is maintained and approved at Ottawa. Mr. King's answer to the second question leaves a good deal to the imagination. He says the Government is satisfied that the actions of the Vichy Legation are not contrary to the interests of Canada or her allies. They may, however, be contrary to the interests of the Free French movement headed by General de Gaulle, which, according to the Prime Minister, is not regarded as one of Canada's "allies."

No doubt the Vichy Legation at Ottawa is in constant communication with the Government of Marshal Petain, and the messages passing between Ottawa and Vichy have diplomatic immunity. Vichy, therefore, can be kept thoroughly informed about what Canada is doing in the War, and because Vichy is subservient to Nazi authority, the information in question must, if demanded, be passed on to Vichy's German masters. It is a dangerous situation. Vichy has no embassy in London; no legation or consular representation in any other part of the Empire, save in Canada. The capitulation of France automatically canceled diplomatic ties between that country, as represented by the men of Vichy, and those who are fighting Germany. Canada alone maintains and gives privileges to representatives of Vichy at Ottawa, and will not recognize the movement of Free Frenchmen headed by General de Gaulle. Mr. Mackenzie King desires, and obviously intends, that this strange situation shall be maintained. Why?

**"THERE IS A BONDAGE WORSE FAR WORSE"**  
There is a bondage worse, far worse, to bear Than his who breathes, by roof, and floor, and wall, Penit, in a Tyrant's solitary Thral! "Tis he, who walks about in the open air, Their letters in their souls. For who could e' Whene'er he comes, to give him a free room? True self-reproach, research, that he must share With Human-nature? Never be it ours To see the sun howe brightly it will shine. And know that noble feelings, manly powers, Instead of gathering strength, must drop and pine; And earth with all her pleasant fruits and pine; Fade, and participate in man's decline.—William Wordsworth.

## A SOLDIER'S COURAGE

A little lifting up of the heart suffices; a little remembrance of God, one act of inward worship, though upon a march and sword in hand, are prayers which, however short, are nevertheless very acceptable to God; and far from lessening a soldier's courage, they best serve to fortify it.—Brother Lawrence, October 12, 1688.

Through every rift of discovery some seeming anomaly drops out of the darkness, and falls, as a golden link, into the great chain of order.—E. H. Chaplin.

Whoever is afraid of submitting any question, civil or religious, to the test of free discussion, is more concerned about the winning of the war than they are with the party fortunes of Mr. Mackenzie King and his Ministers. Arguments continue to accumulate in favor of a National Government.

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Note and Comment  
By SANDHAM GRAVES

Have you seen the Fountain-Pen Bird? For years this bird has been looking for the bird that lays its mysterious tracks across the floor, over desk tops, even up along the walls. Once, indeed, I thought that I had found it, because a set of three-toed tracks appeared on some paper directly in front of my eyes. I looked up quickly, but there was only a young man subscribing his name to a letter with a fountain pen. Hot on the scent, I examined the tracks carefully. They began on the floor, halfway across the room from the desk; approached the desk in a straight path; and, then, miraculously jumping by three feet, continued along the desk, over my papers. "Quick," I said. "It is the Fountain-Pen Bird!" but the young man only muttered, "Sorry," screwed on the top of his fountain pen, and walked away with his completed letter. He had missed the point entirely. Here were two of us in the presence of the Fountain-Pen Bird; with a magnificent opportunity to note its plumage, examine its feet, and determine the exact point of entry. Why can't you give the record of the rainfall for twenty-four hours, the same as everything else?

Also you always put the rainfall for twelve hours, and yet everything else is recorded for twenty-four hours; so if it pours rain in the other twelve hours it is never recorded. I have seen it with rain and the next morning there is point 1. Why can't you give the record of the rainfall for twenty-four hours, the same as everything else?

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660 Montreal Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Dec. 14, 1940.

## Letters to Editor

No writer in the editor will be allowed except over the proper signature and address, the writer's name to be printed on the outside of the envelope. No letter should exceed 400 words in length.

## TEMPERATURES IN VICTORIA

Sir—I have never yet been able to make out the queer way that the Observatory at Gonzales Hill finds its temperatures or rainfall.

For instance, in this morning's Colonial, the temperatures are 33 and 44. That means that last night and the night before it never froze, and yet the ground is frozen hard and there is an inch of ice on my rail barrels; also, in the shade, both yesterday and today, it froze all day, as there was a white frost showing and has been now for three days, and yet, according to the Observatory, it has been 12 degrees above freezing. I don't know how you get that.

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## A PREVENTIVE FOR INFLUENZA

Sir—Influenza is prevalent in many cities at present. There was a serious epidemic of the disease in Victoria in 1918, when I advocated a very simple preventive treatment, which I think is still valid.

The wave of frightfulness seems to have extended to the advertising columns nowadays. "Must Victoria Be Bombed" indeed before you will save your money? "How Much May I Tell Your Employer He May Deduct From Your Wage" on behalf of this charity? Somehow, I do not think it is quite the right approach. It lacks a little something. Tell the people that they may expect to be bombed, and they will gather all their belongings and put them in a sack under the mattress. That is not thrifty. That is hoarding. I question if fear is the right motif, anyway. Perhaps it should be service. Normal individuals are glad to save, where they can save; and not a few of them are proud to use their savings for the benefit of their country. War saving stamps and certificates are good investments on their own appeal, and doubly so when the national purpose of such savings is borne in mind. The strongest appeal in the plan to most people will be that by this means they may turn four dollars into five, and help Canada in so doing. Saved dollars are fighting dollars these days. Charity appeals, likewise, are necessary, genuine and public-spirited; but they should approach people on their right side. Honestly, now, what is your reaction to the suggestion that someone is to take a further bite out of your income, before it comes in, as it were? How many of us could afford to say, "Help yourself; don't mind me?"

On the other hand, people have a right side, a side nearest to the human heart. Unselfish public service, designed to help mankind, need never go a-begging in this country; where there are not only hearts but also homes. Don't, let me beg of you, mention the wage cheques first; and, if you know, people do respond to service. In many cases it is all that is left. But if we go the other way, if we adopt frightfulness, then the day is coming when our children will tell us, "Bring Santa Claus, or else!"

As I understand it, in the old days a flag was an expensive article and it was generally flown at medieval castles and barracks where retainers and guards were on duty twenty-four hours a day. Obviously, since it could not be seen in the darkness, and to save wear and tear, it was soon given up. However, during the War, when our men had to haul down the flag during these hours—hence the custom was evolved.

Remember, do not just sniff the liquid, but drink some of it through your nose. It is not difficult or unpleasant. A. G. PRICE.  
1224 Richardson Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Dec. 14, 1940.

## FLYING THE FLAG

Sir—it is news to me that there is a "law" that prohibits flying the flag between sunset and sunrise as mentioned by a recent correspondent.

It is true that it has become a convention, but a convention can be modified, if it is found to have outgrown its original idea and become impractical.

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With earnest endeavor and worthy

What we want in these trying

times is common sense and toler-

ance. The majority of us are will-

ing to do for our country, but we

are quite frigid about turning out

of a comfortable bed at 3 o'clock

on a Summer morning to raise the

flag. We'll leave that to Mr. Perry.

V. A. WILSON.  
Sooke, B.C. Dec. 11, 1940.

And ever the way made more

cheery.

When haply we met in the street

With a hall that made merry the

sunshine,

And a smile that lent wings to

the feet.

We know not what aught else to

wish him—

Our Squire so high on the hill;

Say "Good-bye" his footstep as

always,

And the best of good wishes ful-

fill.

Mary H. Rathorn.

Victoria, B.C., December 17, 1940.

TO A GRAND OLD CITIZEN

(D) Ye ken John Dean? Then you

know a good man—honest, faithful

and true!—1850-1940.

Aye! here's to the Squire of Sea-

## Council Decides to Ban Car Parking at Dark in Beacon Hill

Through Traffic Only to Be Permitted by New Regulation to Prevent Damage—Loyal Orange Association Protests Hospital Appeal

No automobiles will be allowed to remain stationary in Beacon Hill Park at night, the City Council decided on recommendation of the parks committee at a meeting yesterday afternoon. Through traffic will be permitted as usual. A by-law containing the new parking restriction will be introduced early in January.

W. Herbert Warren, city parks superintendent, explained that automobiles in the park at night created a general nuisance, lawns and grass had been damaged by the tires, and nursery stock, plants, birds and animals stolen.

The parks committee motion suggested that cars be prevented from entering the park between 7 p.m. and 7 a.m. from November to February; 8 p.m. to 7 a.m. during October and March, and from 10 p.m. to 7 a.m. from May to September.

### GONE TOO FAR

"I am opposed to the recommendation," Alderman Edward Williams declared. "The parks superintendent and committee have gone too far. You interfere with a man's liberty if you prevent him from driving through the park. Why not compromise and merely prohibit parking after dark?" he asked.

"The Chief of Police is unable to afford the park the protection it needs without extra expense for men," Alderman B. J. Gadsden stated.

"This is a most drastic request," Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan charged. "I agree with the last three speakers. We must not prevent motorists from driving through the park," said Alderman R. A. C. Dewar.

"Special constables might be required," Alderman W. H. Davies thought.

"Motorists do not necessarily steal plants and shrubs. Do those who break and enter dwellings go about in cars? Many Fairfield residents use the park as a short cut to the sidewalk."

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parking of cars at Beacon Hill Park. A letter of protest against the original motion of the parks committee from the Victoria Automobile Club, was read and filed.

A letter from the Loyal Orange Association, Victoria County Lodge, protesting against any move to make a grant to St. Joseph's Hospital, was referred to next year's estimates committee for perusal.

It stated in part: "St. Joseph's Hospital is a private owned and operated institution, and we, therefore, object to the diversion of public funds for the support of any private institution. St. Joseph's Hospital already receives assistance from the city in the form of exemption from taxes. This hospital is in direct competition to the publicly-owned Royal Jubilee Hospital, and operates at a certain advantage, in that certain members of the staff receive no financial remuneration for their labors."

### HISTORIC BUILDINGS

A letter from the B.C. Historical Association, urging careful consideration before the demolition of any historic buildings, was referred to the health and lands committees. The city engineer was asked to survey Southgate Street, from Vancouver to Rupert Streets, with a view to improving the road and sidewalk.

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### MAKES COMPLAINT

A complaint from Capt. C. D. Neuroutsos that a boarding house was operating on Joan Crescent was referred to the lands committee, engineer and medical health officer. A report of the city solicitor stated that no provisions were made by the Municipal Elections Act to secure votes from absent citizens on active service.

The relief committee recommended that a Provincial Government plan to assist the city in the cost of medical relief cases on a per case basis be approved, and the council agreed. Alderman Duncan D. McTavish, the committee chairman, stated the monthly savings on the new basis might total \$425. It was decided to install a heating and air-conditioning plant in the city welfare office at a cost of \$745. Mayor McGavin and Alderman Worthington thought the matter could wait until next year.

### AMEND BY-LAW

The city solicitor was asked to amend the pound by-law to give the city power to prohibit the trespassing of cattle and other animals on either private or public land, roads and paths.

It was agreed to loan the services of the parks superintendent to the Gordon Head camp in a landscape do that? We have landscape gardeners in the city who pay trade licensees," Alderman Worthington declared.

Superannuation benefits were granted R. Bury, of the boulevard department. It was decided to call tenders for the refreshment concession at Royal Athletic Park.

The relief committee was asked to contact the Community Chest in an endeavor to secure a grant to purchase extra winter comforts for those in receipt of relief.

### PUT TO GOOD USE

Alderman Dewar explained the relief committee had received a grant from the Community Chest through the Family Welfare Association several years ago. "The money we obtained was put to a far better use than that received by some agencies from Community Chest funds," he charged.

"The Community Chest should assist the city in caring for indigents," Mayor McGavin remarked.

"It is an acute problem to supply extra clothing and fuel during the winter. We may have to make a direct appeal to the public," Alderman Morgan added. Mayor McGavin agreed.

"When the Chest was organized, directors promised indigents would be cared for if we did not put on a drive," E. G. Snowdon, city welfare officer, reminded the council.

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of 1940

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Be generous with Canada. Help the country's financing through the purchase of War Savings Stamps and Certificates.

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"Heap on more wood; the wind is chill,  
But let it whistle as it will,  
We'll keep our Christmas merry still."

**IMPERIAL BANK  
OF CANADA**  
ALL BRANCHES SELL  
WAR SAVINGS STAMPS AND CERTIFICATES

THE DAILY COLONIST, VICTORIA, B.C. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1940

## HONOR DOYEN OF FARMING COMMUNITY

Tributes Paid Prof. Straight  
On Retirement After  
Long Service

MANY ORGANIZATIONS  
JOIN IN PRESENTATION

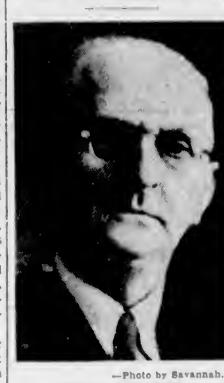


Photo by Savannah.  
PROF. E. M. STRAIGHT

obtained from Europe. What had been done so far by the experimental farm was only a drop in the bucket, but was of considerable value, Professor Straight said. He expressed a hope that someone would continue and expand the work.

### DR. MACDONALD

Dr. MacDonald spoke of the close co-operation between the experimental farm and his department, which had given him a realization of the excellent service Professor Straight had given to the people of Vancouver Island.

Others who spoke briefly were Dr. H. J. T. Collier, a retired member of the faculty of the University of British Columbia, and Mr. Stewart. The latter remarked that his department hoped in the future to have the continued benefit of Professor Straight's experience and advice.

During the evening songs were contributed by Mrs. H. Leiter and Walter Jones, with Mr. Lister as accompanist.

## B.C. SHARES IN WAR CONTRACTS

Provincial Representative at  
Ottawa Addresses Cham-  
ber of Commerce

Up to the end of August last, British Columbia had secured close to \$25,000,000 worth of war contracts, and since that business awarded to this Province was much greater than during the previous three months, W. Lloyd Craig, representative at Ottawa of the Provincial Department of Trade and Industry told the quarterly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday in Spencer's dining room.

Recounting his experiences in the East after a year spent at the Dominion capital in the interests of industrialists of this Province, Mr. Craig said that at first Dominion purchasing officials were dubious as to British Columbia's ability to make certain commodities for the national war effort, but that feeling had long since passed.

"Today, the products as manufactured in this Province are looked upon as being equal to anything that can be produced in Eastern Canada or in the United Kingdom, and British Columbian workmanship is of the highest order," he declared.

### COMPETING WITH EAST

He said that for some time British Columbia firms had been competing with Eastern firms on commodities to be delivered in the East, which, in some cases, meant getting the raw materials from Eastern Canada, paying the freight on them manufacturing the product and shipping it back as far as Nova Scotia. At least one firm in Victoria had gained a contract recently in competition with a like commodity manufactured in the East, and the points of delivery all in Eastern Canada. Mr. Craig suggested that if it were possible to do this in wartime, it might be possible to do it in peacetime.

He advised manufacturers to bid only within the capacity of their plants and said that figures at the end of this year will show that British Columbia has had a good share of the war business offered.

Mr. Craig also invited members of the chamber to make use of his

## Artillery Units Are in Need of Young Recruits

ABOUT sixty young recruits of good physique are urgently needed as replacements for various artillery units in this area. Lieut.-Col. H. E. Goodman, district recruiting officer, announced yesterday. This need is in addition to the 200 recruits required for various infantry units and army departments.

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Others who spoke briefly were Dr.

H. J. T. Collier, a retired member

of the faculty of the University of

British Columbia, and Mr. Stewart.

The latter remarked that his de-

partment hoped in the future to

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## WILL DISCUSS BUS QUESTION

Delegation From Esquimalt  
To Meet Officials of B.C.  
Electric on Petition

Two members of the Esquimalt Council, and a representative of residents, petitioning for a feeder bus system around Bewdley Street, will meet officials of the B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd., to go further into the matter. It was decided at a special meeting held last night in the Municipal Hall.

George M. Tripp, general superintendent, represented the company, and discussed the matter of improving the present system with members of the council and residents who had petitioned for an improved service.



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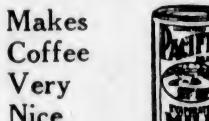
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Councillors Albert Heald and Thomas Hadfield, and R. Butler, representing the residents, will discuss the problem with Mr. Tripp and A. T. Goward, vice-president.

### PRESENT ROUTE

At the present, the feeder bus leaves the Esquimalt Naval Barracks, travels down Admirals Road to Lyall Street and along to Gore and Head Streets. The petitioners, who reside in the district which is rapidly growing up near the waterfront, suggested a bus travel down Fraser Street to Armit, along Munro and up Anson Street to Bewdley Avenue, thence along Peters Street to Lyall Street. They said they would be satisfied with two trips in the morning and two in the afternoon, so they could come to Victoria to shop.

Mr. Tripp stated the company was willing to do whatever it could to improve the service in the municipality. However, if the bus made such a big loop, it would not be able to connect with the street car at Head Street. Under the present schedule the bus meets the street car at Esquimalt and Admirals Roads and then makes the loop around Lyall Street, meeting the street car again at Head Street.

### COUNCIL MAKES THIRTEEN SALES

Total of \$14,625 Received by City  
On Deeds Recommended by  
Lands Committee

Thirteen sales of reverted property, totaling \$14,625, were proposed by the lands committee and ratified by the City Council yesterday. Members of the committee are Alderman R. A. C. Dewar (chairman), Aldermen John A. Worthington, Archie Wills and B. J. Gadsden.

Locations of the property and the prices received were: West side of Blackwood Street, between Kings Road and Bay Street, \$50; southwest corner of Richardson and Cook Streets, \$1,000; south side of Humboldt Street, between Vancouver and Rupert Streets, \$1,375; west side of Cook Street, between Richardson and Collinson Streets, \$500; northeast corner of Cook and May Streets, \$500; west side of Prior Street, between Topaz Avenue and Vista Heights, \$150; south side of Kings Road, near Cedar Hill Road, \$175; northeast corner of St. Charles and Ross Streets, \$150; north side of May Street, between Linden Avenue and Howe Street, \$1,250; south side of Hollywood Crescent, near Ross Street, \$800; northwest corner of Government and Cormorant Streets, \$8,500; a lot on Windermere Road, near Vimy Street, \$100, and property on the south side of Princess Avenue, between Blanchard and Quadra Streets, \$75.

### Officers Elected By Third Order Of St. Francis

At the annual meeting of the Third Order of St. Francis, held Sunday afternoon at St. Andrew's Cathedral, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Dr. J. L. Thompson, prefect; John O'Connell, master of novices; Miss Madeline Clay, mistress of novices; A. McCoy, secretary-treasurer. The committee comprises all the officers as well as William Mulcahy, M. J. Haley, George Elgin, Mrs. A. Grant and Miss W. Leavitt. This is a purely spiritual society, the object of which is to practise the lessons of penance and charity as laid down by the founder, St. Francis of Assisi.

Next Thursday morning there will be a Solemn Requiem Mass in St. Andrew's Cathedral at 8 o'clock for the late Captain Fogarty Pagan, V.C., hero of the Jervis Bay, and also for other sailors who have perished thus far in the war, including the victims of the Margaret disaster.

### Military Activities

No. 2 ECHELON AND WORK-SHOP SECTION, R.C.A.S.C.

Regimental Order Part I, Order No. 22, by Capt. A. D. de M. Mellin, Dec. 13, 1940.

Orderly officer for week ending Sunday, Dec. 22, Second Lieutenant D. R. Mackay; next for duty, Second Lieutenant R. E. Maze.

Orderly sergeant for week ending December 22, K532136 Acting Corporal B. H. Parsons; next for duty, K532147 Acting Corporal J. A. Richardson.

Parades—The unit will parade at:

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### PAY TRIBUTE TO RETIRING MEMBER

Mayor Andrew McGavin and City Fathers Bid Farewell to Alderwoman T. W. Hawkins

Compliments of the season to citizens and aldermen were paid by Mayor Andrew McGavin at the last City Council meeting of the year yesterday afternoon. The Mayor and aldermen also bade farewell to Alderman T. W. Hawkins and paid tribute to his eight years' service to the city. He received a framed photograph of the 1940 council.

Mayor McGavin recalled that Alderman Hawkins had worked energetically on preparations for the city's anniversary of incorporation and the Royal visit. He had been largely responsible for the replacement of arc lights with electric globes, thus creating a large saving and had suggested the present strings of colored lights to decorate the city.

In reply, Alderman Hawkins stated he had found his eight years' service most pleasant. "I have had plenty of time to think. I thought it would benefit the city," he declared. Other speakers were Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, Edward Williams, Archie Wills, W. Lloyd Morgan, John A. Worthington, B. J. Gadsden and W. Davies.

Alderman Williams moved that a letter be sent Alderman S. H. Okely, hoping he would make a speedy recovery from his attack of influenza.

### WINS BRYANT TROPHY

In the final of the Dr. F. M. Bryant Trophy, played at Colwood, Ted Colgate and F. A. Evans were the winners, defeating Fort Osborne and Workshop Section, 6th Division Supply Column, R.C.A.S.C. N.P.M.

### FINISH IN DEADLOCK

R. Peachey and J. P. Pare finished in a tie for first place in the fourth monthly park competition held over the weekend at the Victoria Golf Club. Both were three down.

### NOOTKA MISSION WORK DESCRIBED

Interesting scenes of Hospital on West Coast of Vancouver Island are shown.

Interesting scenes of the Nootka Mission Hospital at Ceepeewee, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, were shown by Dr. H. A. McLean, medical missionary, at a meeting held under the auspices of the Nootka's Christian Association last night in the Y.W.C.A.

Dr. McLean described by word and picture the background that surrounds the work of the mission, which was opened in 1937 with a small shack and now embraces a three-story building with wards, operating room, chapel and dining hall.

Serving the needs of 1,500 miners and loggers and fishermen in the isolated West Coast districts, the mission is, in the words of Dr. McLean, "a lighthouse on the West Coast, bringing peace and healing to both mind and body through the grace of Jesus Christ."

Pictures of logging camps, mines and groups of people at work, hospital, and at Sunday services were shown, together with scenes depicting Dr. McLean at work in the operating room. Many interesting stories were told concerning various characters and experiences met with in work along the camps and among the native Indian population.

Mrs. McLean also spoke briefly, emphasizing that the value of the hospital lay in the spread of the Christian Gospel. Percy Willis conducted the devotional service, which included the singing of many favorite old hymns.

### Announcements

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### Up North Where Spuds Are Spuds

It seems that one day last month the grocery stores at Yellowknife, up North, ran out of potatoes simultaneously, we learn from the Canadian Airways "Honker." Not a murphy was to be had in town, which was a serious thing, you'll understand.

A Mr. Hardham, a go-getter businessman, scratched his head for a while, then suddenly remembered there was a Canadian Airways plane just about to leave for Fort Smith and return.

Hardham called Ken Razzell, the air line agent, and asked him to send a note to Fort Smith, asking for a dollar's worth of potatoes to be put on the return trip.

Razzell jotted down, "Please shoot buck's worth spuds to Hardham," handed the note to the pilot and dispatched the ship.

Next day, Mr. Hardham's curiosity is aroused when the incoming pilot hands him a neat little package. On opening it, Hardham finds four packages of Spud cigarettes!

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

### City and District

To Meet Tonight—The Social Credit Society will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at 224 Pemberton. Non-members are cordially invited to attend.

**Old Offender**—An old offender who admitted being intoxicated on Douglas Street on Saturday was sentenced in the city police court yesterday to serve twenty days in jail at hard labor.

**Cat Stolen**—S. Nelson, 1438 Port Street, informed police on Sunday that his overcoat, scarf and car keys, valued at \$40, had been stolen from the Shrine Hall.

**Shop Entered**—The shop of Nippon Cleaners at 738 Yates Street was entered during the week-end by smashing a window. Exit was made by a basement door. Nothing was reported missing.

**Is Remanded**—Ronald McMillan was charged in the city police court yesterday with stealing a car from Harold Bergé on Saturday. He was remanded until this morning in order to secure counsel.

**Gasoline Taken**—J. O. Cleary, 189 Beach Drive, reported to police on Sunday that gasoline had been siphoned from the tank of his automobile parked outside Memorial Hall.

**Supplies Stolen**—Thieves who gained entry to the premises of Miss A. Miller at 521 Superior Street by climbing a fire escape and forcing a window on Sunday, stole school supplies valued at \$30.

**Catches Youth**—Constable Norman Galbraith caught a youth aged sixteen years stealing a bundle of twenty-six newspapers from the doorway of a store at 1198 Yates Street at 6:45 o'clock Sunday morning.

**New Dwelling**—Green Brothers secured a \$10,000 building permit yesterday to construct a nine-room dwelling at 1540 Deepwood Avenue. It will be of brick and stucco construction with fir and oak floors, hot water heat and a separate garage.

**Fifteen Fined**—Twelve motorists were each fined \$2.50 in the city police court yesterday for various infractions of parking regulations. Two each paid \$10 fines for exceeding the speed limit. Another was

**Attempted Entry**—An attempt was made to enter the Rock Bay Lumber Company's offices on Bay Street by smashing a window and tearing off a lock during the week-end. Burglars stole a gold bracelet and a gold chain from a house in the 1200 block on Fairfield Road on Sunday.

**City's Temperatures**—Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill were 45 and 34 degrees, respectively. The maximum temperature observed on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel was 47 degrees and the minimum 35 degrees.

**Lights Broken**—Walter B. McMickling, city electrician, stated yesterday that damage to street lights by air rifles, silencers and stones in hands of youths cost between \$200 and \$300 to repair during the year. Ten lights have been broken on Dallas Road during the past two weeks. Mr. McMickling urged parents to caution their children against committing such damage.

**A.R.P. Classes**—The warden of "Area 50" are requested to take note that the regular monthly meeting will not be held next

# Women's Organizations and Activities

## Tallulah Bankhead Is Spending Holiday Here

"Oh, it's so good to be here, to be on British soil among people of the race I admire so much, the people who are braving so much at this time, and who have shown they can take it," said Tallulah Bankhead, famed actress of the American and English stage, who is here for a week's holiday as the guest of her friend, Mrs. W. Wingfield, at Journeys End.

Miss Bankhead has been playing in her great stage success, "The Little Foxes," in Portland, which ran for over a year on Broadway and which will reopen in San Francisco next Monday. She is delighted to be able to enjoy a week of relaxation and quiet in what she describes as "such heavenly surroundings."

She was curled up in a deep-cushioned sofa, chatting informally with her hostess, when The Colonist representative arrived yesterday to see her. Dressed in a very well-cut pair of dark brown slacks, leather belt, a long-sleeved shirtwaist of heavy silk crepe with diamond brooch on one of the pockets, her brown-gold hair worn shoulder length, Miss Bankhead showed a gracious and evident interest in the suggestion that she should pose for a photograph.

### HER WAR WORK

Witty, charming and genuinely enjoying life, Miss Bankhead is essentially a woman of tremendous vitality. She has taken a keen interest in the Finnish Relief, Aid to China, Aid of Britain and other wartime philanthropic cause. In New



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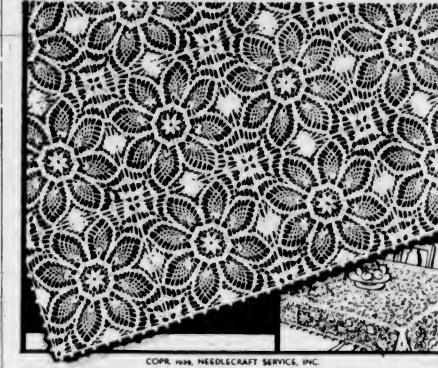
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## Club Women Hear Talk by Mrs. Godfrey

Mrs. M. Godfrey, for several years public representative of the house of Worth, Paris dress designer, and the first American woman to do publicity work for such a firm, was the guest speaker at the Christmas dinner held by the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club last evening in Spence's dining room. Mrs. Farquharson, the president, was in the chair, and welcomed Mrs. Godfrey, who gave an interesting and informal talk on her experiences.

Under the title "The Back Door of Fashion," Mrs. Godfrey traced the trend of fashion from about the year 1850 to the present time, showing the influence of important epochs and events on the designers through the ages. It was apparent, she said, that war inevitably had the effect of swinging fashion to more practical lines. She emphasized the importance of individuality in style and warned against blindly following fashion's decrees without regard for personal suitability.

Miss Mabel Cameron expressed the thanks of the club to the speaker. Miss Nonna Rich, chairman of the committee in charge of the dinner, was assisted in preparations for the evening by Mrs. F. C. Patterson, Mrs. Walis and Miss Maidie Thompson.

The tables looked particularly attractive as the guests arrived to the tune of "There Will Always Be an England," played by Mrs. Cartwright. At each guest's place was a little sprig of evergreen tied with Christmas ribbon, and attached to it a lighted candle. Pine cone "turkeys" were served as place cards. Solo songs were sung by Mrs. H. Lord, Miss Richardson and Miss Besse Crowther, and Mrs. H. M. Hall, in her role as Santa Claus, had a cheery remark for everybody as the gifts, concealed in a barrel, were rolled into the room.

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## Clubs and Societies

Salt Spring W.A.

The annual meeting of the Salt Spring Branch of the Women's Auxiliary to the Anglican Church was held recently at the home of Mrs. E. Walter, Ganges. The president, Mrs. H. Moorhouse, was in the chair for the opening. The financial statement read showed an itemized account of the year's receipts and expenditures drawn up by the retiring honorary treasurer, Mrs. G. B. Young. The balance on hand at the end of the year was \$318. Two beautifully renovated antique bags were received from the Diocesan Church Embroidery Guild, and a letter of thanks and appreciation was ordered to be written. The secretary was asked to send a letter of congratulation and good wishes to the newly formed Altar Guild.

The sum of \$15 was voted to the Dorcas secretary to purchase new material; \$1 towards inscribing the name of the late Mrs. Belson in the book of remembrance, and \$1.50 to the Columbia West Coast Christmas Cheer Fund.

For the election of officers, Rev. C. M. Popham took the chair, and expressed his sincere thanks for the help and co-operation he had received from the branch in the work and financial expenses of the parish during the past difficult year. It was proposed that the resolution made at the previous meeting, viz., that "all retiring officers, with the exception of the treasurer, who declined re-election, be re-elected en bloc" be adopted. This was put to the meeting and carried. Mrs. H. A. Robinson was appointed treasurer. The sum of \$4 was voted to Mrs. Fields, thankoffering secretary, Mrs. E. Walters. The sum of \$4 was voted to Mrs. Stacey for making a Christmas cake for a coming contest, and also to Mrs. Walter for lending her home for the meeting. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Stacey. The meeting closed with the vicar pronouncing the Benediction. The tea hostesses were Mrs. C. H. Popham and Mrs. H. Johnstone.

**Guild of Sunshine**

The Guild of Sunshine held its monthly meeting recently at the home of Mrs. G. J. Mount, the date of the meeting having been advanced owing to Christmas. The president, Mrs. G. J. Mount, was in the chair. The balance sheet, read by the treasurer, showed \$742 on hand. The president reported that the chinis ordered for the Sunshine ward in the Gulf Islands Hospital had been purchased and bills were passed for payment. A proposal was passed to the effect that, for the duration of the war, the yearly subscription to the guild be reduced to fifty cents. The sum of \$10 was voted towards Christmas gifts and a committee comprising Mrs. O. J. Mount, Mrs. Stuart Holmes and Mrs. W. Norton, was formed to purchase, pack and send off the presents.

It was decided that the committee meet for this purpose next Thursday. The sum of \$3 was added to the funds by the disposal of a parcel of miscellaneous goods, which had arrived too late for the recent sale. Any clothing still unused will be given to the Red Cross for refugees. Tea hostesses were Mrs. G. J. Mount and Mrs. Laurie Mount.

**RICKARD—HERCHMER**

TORONTO, Dec. 15 (CP)—Bishop R. J. Renison officiated in the chapel of St. Paul's Anglican Church here, Saturday, at the marriage of Miss Laurence Herchmer, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Herchmer, Vancouver, and the late Col. Laurence Herchmer, former commissioner of the Royal North-West Mounted Police, to Lieut. Hugh J. C. Rickard, R.C.O.C., Kingston, Ont., the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Rickard, Toronto.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. J. J. Ashworth. She wore her traveling costume, a dress of marine blue crepe embroidered in steel beads, and a necklace of pearls, a corsage bouquet of white boudoiria, a sealskin coat and small matching sealskin turban.

A reception was held after the ceremony for immediate relatives at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt. After a short honeymoon, the couple will live in Kingston.

**DONOHUE—AIKEN**

St. Michael and All Angels Church, Chemainus, was the scene of a quiet ceremony at 2:30 on Saturday afternoon, between Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Aiken, became the bride of Mr. Lawrence Donohue, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Donohue, Winnipeg, Rev. T. L. Hipp officiating.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a smart afternoon frock of powder blue crepe with touches of metallic embroidery and a small matching turban.

A reception was held after the ceremony for immediate relatives at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt. After a short honeymoon, the couple will live in Kingston.

**WITTY KITTY**

About fifty navy, army and air force members were guests at the Y.W.C.A. on Sunday afternoon for high tea at 5 o'clock, followed by a musical programme. The Girls' High Grad Club were hostesses and Miss Kay Shute, president, announced the numbers. Those contributing to the programme included Mr. Bob Luxton and Miss Maxine High, vocal duets and solos, with Miss Vera Critchard, who also gave piano selections, as accompanist. Monologues were contributed by Mr. H. S. Reynolds and Albert Denoni gave several groups of accordian numbers. Miss Charlotte Crawford led sing-songs, accompanied at the piano by Miss Winnie Baxter. Others assisting during the afternoon and evening were Dr. Olga Jardine, Mrs. Walter Walker, Miss Kathleen Fitzgerald and Miss Winnie Graham, adviser of the Grad Club.

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# PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

## Social and Personal

### Shower for Bride-to-Be

Mrs. Hugh Clarke, 3112 Quadra Street, was hostess at a shower on Saturday evening for Miss Virginia Mae Norris, whose marriage will take place this month. Miss Bernice Davey presented the guests honor with a bouquet of carnations and the shower gifts were concealed in a wishing well. Miss Eileen Clarke played piano solo and Miss G. Davis sang "Because." The buffet supper table was arranged with a silver basket of pink and white snapdragons from which streamers extended to the corners of the table.

Assisting in serving were Mrs. K. Cunningham-Moore, Mrs. G. Davy, Mrs. B. Delzell and Misses E. Clarke and Bernice Davey. Other guests were Madames A. Norris, R. Wiley, R. Spouse, A. Clarke, J. Olson, A. Adams, E. Day, E. Wiley, E. Hamerton and O. Randy, and Misses Joyce Norris, Margaret Chin, Grace and Jean Adams, Agnes Finn and Margaret Bosley.

### Personal Shower

Mr. Charles Francis, 542 Ellie Street, entertained last evening at a shower of personal gifts in honor of Miss Shirley Godfrey, whose marriage to Rev. E. A. Francis will take place this month. A color scheme of lavender and white was carried out with chrysanthemums in the living-room. A corsage bouquet of pink roses and violets was presented to the bride-to-be upon her arrival. Later a box filled with gifts and decorated in lavender and white, topped with a bride made of handkerchiefs, was presented to Miss Godfrey. After a pleasant evening, a buffet supper was served by the hostess. Those present were Madames Robert Godfrey, Otto Elfa, Alfred Francis, H. Denyer, J. Bromley, J. Denyer, Marson, P. Gold-

smith, A. J. Denyer and Misses Grace Godfrey, Eileen Pye, Doris Marson, Joyce Denyer, Ruby Francis and Thelma Marson.

**Party for Bride-to-Be**

Mrs. May Crowe, Juno Street, entertained at tea on Sunday afternoon in compliment to Miss Sadie Smith, whose marriage to Mr. Wellington Robert Pringle, R.C.N., will take place this month. Miss Smith was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations by Miss Vicki Crowe, and an electric toaster, the gift of the assembled guests. The tea table, covered with a Christmas crepe paper cloth and centred with holly, flanked by red tapers in silver candlesticks, was presided over by Mrs. M. Crowe and Miss May McBeth. The guests were Madames B. Smith, K. Robertson, M. McColl, L. Crystal, M. Stewart, L. Styles, J. Moran, J. Gagnon, Gagnon, Jr., T. Hartley, E. McLeod, J. Scott, J. Stewart, McGrath, Misses L. Harper, Vicki Crowe, Lillian Smith, Emily Spencer and Marjorie Hall.

### Diamond Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pike, Sooke, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding on Sunday afternoon, when Mr. Pike's sister-in-law, Mrs. F. E. Pike, 122 Cambridge Street, entertained at her home in their honor. The hostess assisted the guests of honor in receiving the guests, and Mrs. R. Ross presided over the tea table, which was centred by a beautiful silver and white wedgeling cake, flanked by silver vases of rosebuds and tulips. Assisting in serving were Mrs. A. Schroeder, Miss Betty Ross and Miss Isabelle Pike. Carnations and chrysanthemums decorated the reception rooms. About fifty guests called to tender congratulations and best wishes.

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and many lovely gifts of flowers were received.

### Tea Hostess

In honor of Miss Jean Newcombe, who is to be married on December 27, Mrs. J. Williams entertained at the tea hour on Sunday at her home, 1244 Oscar Street. The guest of honor received a corsage bouquet of white carnations and a Mexican wooden platter from the assembled guests. Mrs. R. L. Shaw presided at the prettily appointed tea table. The guests were: Madames I. Tautz, Miller, J. Knightly, J. Williams, R. L. Shaw; Misses Beatrice Miltow, Rhoda Foster, Kaye Daley, Verne Ferrier, Margaret Thom, Ellen Leask, E. Payne and Phyllis Wilkins.

### Entertain Wardens

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richards, 2572 Prior Street, entertained the district and deputy district wardens of B.C. Section of the A.R.P. last evening twenty-two guests being present. A.R.P. work was discussed and refreshments were served by the hosts, followed by cards. Prizes were won by Mr. W. Tranter and Mr. G. Pigott. Twelve new members were welcomed.

### At Harrison

Enjoying the clear mountain air and delightful scenery at Harrison Hot Springs over the week-end were Senator and Mrs. J. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Molson, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Kent, Ottawa; Judge Gordon, Regina, and Commander and Mrs. C. T. Beard, Victoria, guests of Mr. E. F. Jennings.

### Visitors Entertained

Mrs. J. D. Phillipsmore and Miss E. Simpson, George Street, entertained on Saturday evening in compliment to Mrs. J. H. Storer, Blanford, formerly of Moose Jaw.

### At the Sunex

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wells and their daughter, Miss Barbara Wells, who arrived recently from Wilkie, Sask., to attend the wedding of Mr. John Alexander Wells and Miss Peggy Garrard, which took place in the chapel of Brentwood College, are staying at the Sussex Apartment Hotel.

### Return From Mainland

Lieutenant Alan Morrell and Lieutenant Rupert Guthrie, of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, C.A.S.P., have arrived from Nya Seland to spend the Christmas leave at their homes here. Mrs. Morrell and Mrs. Guthrie went to Vancouver to meet them, returning yesterday afternoon.

### Back From Vancouver

Corporal Murray A. Cree and his bride, formerly Miss Gertrude Hodge, have returned to Victoria from Vancouver. Corporal Cree will return immediately to Camp Debert, Nova Scotia, where he is attached to the Petrol Company of the 3rd Division.

### Reunion Enjoyed

Mrs. E. W. Symons, Falkland Road, was hostess at an informal reunion of former Ranger leaders of the Girl Guides in honor of Miss Alina Stewart Williams, who re-

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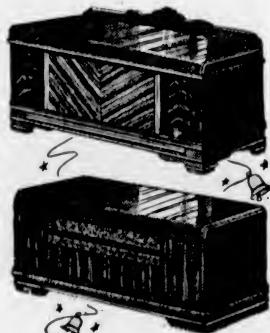
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## Wedding Held in Chapel Of Brentwood College

Miss Peggy Garrard Becomes Bride of Mr. John Alexander Wells, Wilkie, Sask.—School Choir Takes Part in Interesting Service

The first wedding to be solemnized in the chapel of Brentwood College took place last evening when, at 8 o'clock, Rev. Canon R. J. Pierce united in matrimony Alice Margaret (Peggy), twin daughter of Major and Mrs. W. Garrard, Tor Inlet, and Mr. John Alexander MacKay Wells, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wells, Wilkie, Sask. The bridegroom was educated at St. Michael's School and at Brentwood College and has many friends in Victoria.

The beautiful chapel was decorated with white chrysanthemums and holly and made a lovely setting for the ceremony.

### BRIDAL PARTY

Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked charming in her simply fashioned gown of ivory satin, made with a short train and long sleeves. Her wedding veil of old lace was an heirloom belonging to her paternal great-grandmother. She carried a bouquet of deep red roses and white carnations.

She was attended by her younger sister, Miss Norma Garrard, and by the bridegroom's sister, Miss Barbara Wells. Miss Garrard's dress was of old rose velvet, made floor-length on princess lines and worn with a little skull cap of matching velvet. Miss Wells was in red roses.

The bride and groom left later for Vancouver, the bride traveling in a smart two-piece dress of soldier blue wool crepe, with a matching hat and a fur coat. Mr. and Mrs. Wells will make their home in Wilkie, Sask.

### BRITISH SCORE GREAT VICTORY

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When the British command began their surprise offensive across the Western Desert a week ago today, the Italians were authoritatively reported to have 250,000 men, all told, in the Libyan army.

### SCATTERED FORCES

Or these, British sources believed that less than 100,000 were involved in the present fighting, with the remainder scattered along the length and breadth of the vast Libyan Desert.

More than 30,000 must be deducted as prisoners in the week's fighting (not including any prisoners captured at Salum and Port Capuzzo) and a large number of casualties.

One wounded soldier back from the front said it was a remarkable sight to see long columns of trucks carrying prisoners to the rear.

"We all had the impression that

the Italians had no heart for the fight," he said.

### HELPED TO NAVIGATE

Two soldiers taking thirty Italian officers and men to the British base became separated from the convoy in a sandstorm. They were only lightly armed but the Italian officers produced maps and compasses and helped navigate the trucks safely to Matruh.

Supporting the land offensive, Royal Air Force bombers flew through dirty weather to blast Italian bases in Africa.

Among the objectives were the British ports of Derna, Tobruk and Bardia. Pier fires, visible for sixty miles, were left blazing at Bardia.

After fighting yesterday almost blindly through dust storms, British forces forged ahead in the Salum, Fort Capuzzo and Bardia sector today in rain. The communiqué said bad weather still was causing poor visibility.

The rain may impede the British push, but it is not expected to stop it.

### RAINS MAY DELAY

Military circles said the British wanted to keep the Italians on the run and the rainy season might cause some delay. The advance is expected to slow down in any case, however, because of mopping-up operations and the extended communications lines.

It is mid-Winter and the rainy season in North Africa now. Normally, rain falls for three or four days and is followed by three weeks of bright sunshine.

Italian troops, battered almost incessantly by the big guns of British warships ranging along the coast, were said to be fighting desperately in an effort to halt the British drive northward toward the Libyan frontier.

Salum, military observers said, is a valuable prize to the British. It offers a deep-water port to which the British Mediterranean Fleet could ferry troops and supplies, saving the long haul across the desert from Matruh.

These sources said if Salum fell to the British they probably would consolidate their position there, to safeguard their gangplank to the sea, before attempting another major thrust to the west.

### AIR FORCE AHEAD

The British Air Force, meanwhile, carried the war into Libya ahead of the mechanized columns.

They bombed the harbor and military buildings at Bardia twice during a week-end attack on Fascist air bases all along the Libyan coast.

Of operations elsewhere in Africa, the Royal Air Force headquarters communiqué said:

"In Italian East Africa, a night attack was made on Gura, bombs falling on the airfield, hangars and near aircraft parked at one end of the airfield.

"On the night, Zula, Gondar, Asab and Bahadur were also raided. Fires were caused among buildings in the barrack areas at Asab Airfield and Gondar was heavily bombed and large fires started in a nearby camp, while at Bahadur bombs fell well within the target area. The full extent of the damage was not observed.

"The enemy attempted to raid Maita on the night of December 14-15 and again yesterday. No damage or casualties resulted from either raid."

"Talking of starting with nothing and making a fortune," said the talkative passenger, "see that old chap reading a paper? Well, he came to this town thirty years ago with ninepence in his pocket; he bought a tin of blacking and a wooden box and started a boot-blacking after getting a set of brushes on tick. What do you think he's worth today?"

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INTERMEDIATE SECTION

In the intermediate section the young artists were Netta Hunter, Lavola Edwards, John Dowling, Mary Martin, Betty Hemmingsen, Joy Groves, the Hick Trio (Phyllis and Bernard Hick and Rita Nevard), Peggy Butterfield and her accompanist, Margaret Husband. Also in this section was the short talk by Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, president of the Musical Art Society, who honored the occasion by attending and speaking a few words of appreciation and encouragement, and extending the best of holiday wishes to the young people.

The auxiliary group contributors were Lou Hambleton, Nora Gardin, Sheila Akershead, and Nancy Kyle and her accompanist, Rae Miles.

The audience applauded the announcement that Eddie Halford, one of the officers who had been in Vancouver General Hospital since September, would be able to attend the next meeting.

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## Golf Club Plans New Year's Eve Dance at Oak Bay

Plans for a New Year's Eve dance to be held in the clubhouse have been made by members of the Victoria Golf Club. Garlands of holly and colored streamers will decorate the rooms, and a five-piece orchestra will play the dance music. A hot supper will be served, and at midnight favors and novelties will be distributed among the guests.

In charge of the arrangements are Miss Jean Lennox, Miss Valerie Kennedy-Smith and Misses Arthur Ross, G. H. Simons and Charles Helaterman. A limited number of tickets are available to members and their friends at the secretary's office.

### THE RECEPTION

After the service a reception attended by about fifty friends of the bride and groom, was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the young couple were assisted in receiving by Major and Mrs. Garrard and Mr. and Mrs. Wells, the groom's parents. The bride wore a smart gown of black crepe trimmed with jet embroidery and a black hat, and Mrs. Wells also was in a black gown with matching hat. Their corsage bouquets were of red roses. The wedding cake, which was cut by the bride, occupied the place of honor on the supper table, which was illuminated by red candles in silver candleabra.

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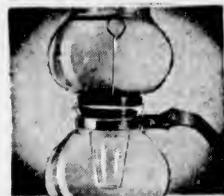
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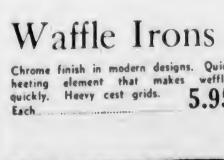
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Salary Cuts Are  
To Be Restored

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (CP)—The Civic Capital Conciliation Board today announced 5 per cent salary cuts imposed on approximately 4,000 civic employees during the depression years would be restored during 1941.

The board decided, subject to ratification by City Council, 2 1/2 per cent restorations should be made next April 1, with an additional 2 1/2 per cent the following December 1.

Civic salaries were cut 20 per

cent during the depression years, but all but 5 per cent has been restored since then.

Soldiers Giving  
Postoffice Help

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Several thousand soldiers today began helping the railways dispatch Christmas cards and packages—their help sought because of public response to a "mail early" plea. The soldiers will work eight-hour shifts at all main terminals and railway stations until the night before Christmas.

RIO TODAY WED.  
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## FOURTEEN K.C. MAY BE NAMED

Right of Administration to  
Appoint King's Counsel  
May Be Exercised

Reports that the British Columbia Government would announce the second King's Counsel list of the present administration before the end of this year went without confirmation yesterday, in the absence of Attorney-General Wamer, K.C., who was at Vancouver. The first list of the present administration was issued four years in 1936, when Mr. Justice Sloan was Attorney-General.

Under amended statute law, the appointment of fifteen additional King's Counsel may be made by the administration after four years. In this instance the list may be cut to fourteen, as Premier Pattullo was appointed a King's Counsel at the time he carried the portfolio of the Attorney-General.

Section 4 of the King's Counsel Act limits total appointments to fifteen.

Whenever the list is announced, it is expected to repair some obvious omissions from the last appointments, including departmental circles.

### APPOINTED TEACHER

DUNCAN, Dec. 16—Miss Margaret Pepper, of New Westminster, has been appointed to the staff of the Duncan Consolidated School, in place of Allister Grant, who has been appointed physical instructor at a Vancouver school. Miss Pepper taught for two years at Melville Saak, and has recently completed the British Columbia teachers' training course.

## At the Theatres

### FRANK MORGAN IS IN "HULLABALOO"

Star Has Leading Role in New  
Comedy of Backstage Radio  
Life, Starting Today

With Frank Morgan exhibiting the talents which have made him one of the screen's most versatile actors, "Hullabaloo," new comedy of backstage radio life, is scheduled to open at the Dominion Theatre today for an engagement of three days.

During the space of but a few months, Morgan has ranged the gamut in screen characterizations from the starkest of tragedy to comedy. In "Hullabaloo" he outdoes himself in the latter field, appearing not only as himself, but doing imitations of some of the popular screen greats as well. "Hullabaloo" tells the story of an ex-vaudevillian portrayed by Morgan, who attempts to keep the wolf from the door by landing himself a radio job.

The cast is excellent, John Lodge and Hugh Williams lend charm and conviction to the leading male roles and Judy Kelly and Joan Marion are startlingly beautiful in the roles of the rival stars.

### AMUSEMENTS

#### On the Screen

Atlas—Olivia de Havilland in "My Love Came Back."  
Cadet—"Honeymoon in Ball," with Madeleine Carroll.  
Capitol—Ginger Rogers, in "Lucky Partners."  
Dominion—"Hullabaloo," with Frank Morgan.  
Oak Bay—Robert Taylor in "Remember?"  
Plaza—"They Came by Night," starring Will Fyffe.  
RIO—Warner Baxter in "Slave Ship."  
York—"One Night in Paris," featuring Judy Kelly.

Within the theatre, and if you happen to miss anything from out front, you'll have a chance to see it in close-ups when the camera moves backstage and into the dressing rooms.

The cast is excellent, John Lodge and Hugh Williams lend charm and conviction to the leading male roles and Judy Kelly and Joan Marion are startlingly beautiful in the roles of the rival stars.

ATLAS—Olivia de Havilland, excellent young actress that she is, has momentarily forsaken such heavy drama as her memorable Melanie of "Gone With the Wind," for the role of Amelia Cullen, the gay young heroine of "My Love Came Back," the laugh-provoking romantic Warner Bros.' musical comedy which ends today at the Atlas Theatre.

CADET—Madeleine Carroll, who has been called one of the most beautiful women in motion pictures, stars as a career girl who has no room in her life for love, in "Honeymoon in Ball," now featured at the Cadet Theatre. Fred MacMurray, Allan Jones and Akim Tamiroff are in the supporting roles.

PLAZA—The delightfully gay romance that stems from the chance winning of a sweepstakes prize by a Greenwich Village girl and a handsome artist provides the exciting basis of "Lucky Partners," which is now showing at the Capitol Theatre. Co-starring Ronald Colman and Ginger Rogers, the RKO Radio film deal with the riotous experiences of a pretty bookshop girl, engaged to a amus insurance salesman, who falls in love with a strange artist when they invest their joint winnings in a platonic honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls.

OAK—Greer Garson, whose memorable performance as Kathie opposite Robert Donat in "Goodbye, Mr. Chips" made her the most talked of screen newcomer of the year, is starred with Robert Taylor in her first American film, "Remember?" which is now showing at the Oak Bay Theatre.

PLAZA—Harry Lachman, who was the megaphone wielder for "They Came by Night," the Twentieth Century Fox release currently starring Will Fyffe at the Plaza Theatre, boasts the distinction of having directed Shirley Temple in her first leading role. The picture was entitled "Baby Take a Bow."

RIO—Warner Baxter and Wallace Beery appear as co-stars in Twentieth Century Fox's stirring saga of the sea, "Slave Ship," which is now showing at the Rio Theatre. Elizabeth Allan and Mickey Rooney are featured in the film, directed by Tay Garnett.

## Has Radio Difficulties



"You're off the air," thunders Dan Dailey Jr., to Frank Morgan, who has just upset the entire nation in the interest of Perkins' Bills, represented by Donald Meek. The scene is from the new broadcasting comedy, "Hullabaloo," which opens today at the Dominion Theatre.

## HEAD OF LEGION VISITS NANAIMO

Alex Walker, Dominion President, Sees Military Camp and Ad-dresses Executive Board

NANAIMO, Dec. 16.—Alexander Walker, president of the Dominion Command of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., on an official visit to Nanaimo during his coast-to-coast tour, expressed satisfaction at the manner in which the Canadian Legion's war services were being maintained at Camp Nanaimo. He was accompanied to the camp by Allan Coburn, representative for the Legion war services here; H. L. Buttress, assistant superintendent of war services, Victoria district, and Thomas A. Barnard, British Columbia representative of the Canadian Legion.

Mr. Walker, who lives in Calgary, paid a special visit to the sergeants' mess of the South Alberta Regiment at Camp Nanaimo, where he met many soldiers he knew.

Speaking to the executive of the Nanaimo branch of the Legion before leaving for the Mainland, Mr. Walker reviewed the Canadian War Services scheme, which he said was an incorporated organization, operating under a Dominion charter.

He stressed the value of education for soldiers, which he termed the most important work of the War Services. An educated man had a better chance of rehabilitation after the war, he said.

In his trip across the Dominion he found soldiers preferred milk, which was building up finer physique and efficiency in the ranks of the Canadian soldiers.

In Valcartier Camp, Quebec, men consumed more than 5,000 pints of milk in July alone. Figures he said were 2,393 pints of milk and 2,228 pints of chocolate milk.

Rev. W. J. Matte  
Addresses C.Y.O.

The Cathedral unit of the Catholic Youth Organization held a suc-

cessful Communion breakfast at Loretto Hall on Sunday morning.

Father Hugh Sharkey, of the Chinese Mission in Vancouver, related a few incidents of his former missionary work in China.

Much of the success of this breakfast was due to the convener, Ruth Waddington, and her assistant, Vera Morelai.

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# MARINE, RAIL and AIR

## Planes From Eastern Canada Continue to Use Emergency Field

Passengers Sent to Vancouver by Ferryboat and East-Bound Travelers Brought Here to Board Plane for Trans-Continental Flight!

It's an ill fog that does nobody any good. Because of the almost continuous "grey-out" of Vancouver and the Fraser Delta area over the past week-end, Island hotels, the B.C. Coast Service of Canadian Pacific Steamships and a local bus concern have been getting a little extra business, while Patricia Bay Airport has gone on the map of Canadian air transportation as a real emergency landing field.

Following the initial arrival at Patricia Bay Airport on Saturday of

two transcontinental planes, two other air liners landed there on Sunday and another one yesterday. All brought passengers, mail and express, the number of air travelers on the three planes totaling twenty-seven. The planes arriving Sunday had seventeen passengers, and the one coming in yesterday brought ten.

Taken to lunch at the Sidney Hotel on Sunday, the passengers were later brought to town on a C. & C. bus, catching the afternoon boat for Vancouver, which waited thirty minutes after her regular sailing time to accommodate the plane travelers.

In the meantime, with little indication of the fog clearing up on Sunday night, the Mainland offices of Trans-Canada sent passengers who had reserved places for the eastbound trip, leaving Sea Island yesterday morning to Victoria by the boat, leaving Vancouver at midnight, and dispatched its plane servicing car to Patricia Bay by way of Nanaimo and the Island Highway for the purpose of putting the planes in shape for flight.

### SERVICING CAR

The servicing car arrived at the airport—yesterday morning—and started overhauling both ships, one leaving for the East at 11:30 a.m. yesterday with the passengers who arrived by night boat from the Mainland. The other machine was still being overhauled at a late hour and remained overnight at Patricia Bay.

Bringing in ten travelers yesterday, the plane landed them at the Saanich airport. They came to

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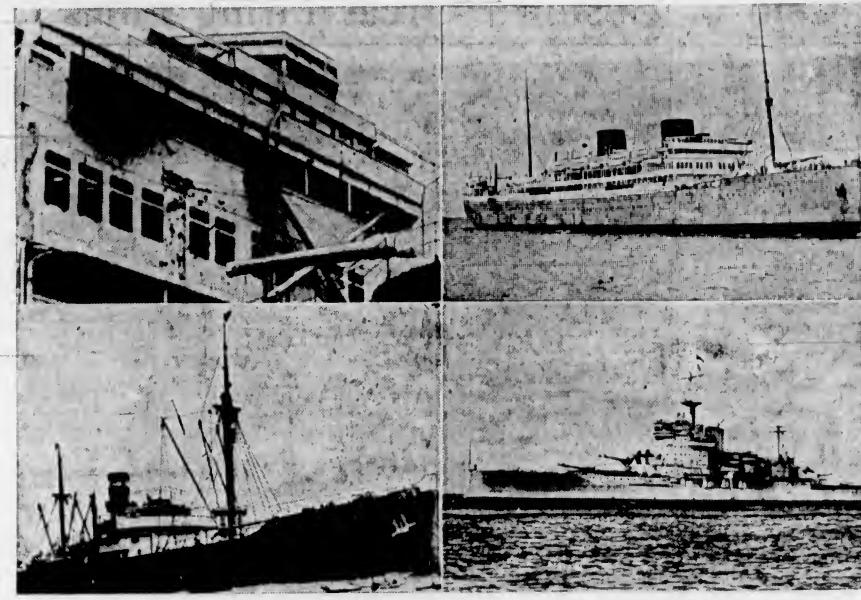
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## Royal Navy Does Good Work in the Atlantic



The capture of the German freighter Idarwald (lower left) by the British cruiser Diomede, off the south coast of Cuba, and the sea fight between the British merchant cruiser Carnarvon Castle (top) and an unidentified German raider off the American coast, proved that John Bull is very much on his toes. The Carnarvon Castle was damaged in her superstructure as the top left Radiophoto shows; but after a few hours in the harbor at Montevideo, the damage was repaired and she put out to sea. The British battleship Warspite (lower right) is believed to be in the South Atlantic on the trail of the German raider. The Idarwald sank after she was intercepted, her crew scuttling their ship.

## REASON FOR RESUMPTION

British and Greek Victories Permit War Risk Insurance Once More

**AWARDED CZECH CROSS**

LONDON, Dec. 15 (CP)—Pilot Officer George L. Sinclair, English-born resident of Bagot, Man., has received the Czech Military Cross from Dr. Benes, president of the Czechoslovak Provisional Government, it was announced today.

Sinclair, who is a member of a Czechoslovak fighter squadron with the Royal Air Force, received the Distinguished Flying Cross last July.

The "possibility of improved shipping conditions in the Mediterranean due to the recent Italian reverses on both land and sea" was given as the reason for resumption of policies.

Underwriters also announced sharp reductions in rates on shipments via Suez to and from the eastern end of the Mediterranean and the Black Sea.

Rates on direct shipments to and from the eastern end of the Mediterranean (Greece, Syria, Palestine and Turkish Mediterranean ports via Suez) which have been quoted at 12½ per cent "free of all capture" and 15 per cent "free of British capture," have been reduced to 10 per cent "free of British capture."

Direct shipments to or from the Black Sea, including shipments to or from Russian ports have been reduced from 17½ per cent to 12½ per cent "free of all capture."

Shortly after the entrance of Italy into the war, underwriters here excluded from open policies all risks of capture on shipments via the Mediterranean.

**Striking Lumber Workers Go Back To Sawmill Jobs**

TACOMA, Dec. 16 (CP)—The hum of the saws, missing from eleven mills in this Pacific Northwest lumber city for the past eleven weeks, was to be heard again today as approximately 850 striking lumber workers returned to work.

The workers, members of the AFL Lumber and Sawmill Workers' Union, late yesterday ratified an agreement whereby they obtain a 50 an hour wage increase and one week vacation with pay. They had been seeking a 70¢ an hour base. The settlement was made possible

when a temporary agreement was reached with the Fork Logging Company at Mineral and the Union's local at Morton released the Tacoma union from a pledge to remain out until the strike at Morton was settled.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (AP)—The United States Marine Commission offered today to sell twenty-four ships from its laid-up fleet, announcing it would consent to transfer to foreign ownership, registry and flag rights of capture except by the British authorities or their Allies.

Shipments on which such coverage now will be written include those to or from Greece, Turkey, Egypt, Syria, Palestine and Black Sea ports, excluding Russian ports, where shipments are via Suez.

The British Government was the high bidder on fifteen of eighteen vessels recently offered by the commission from the laid-up fleet, but no awards have been made.

Today's offerings included eighteen cargo vessels, one passenger vessel, and five refrigerator ships.

**FIND WRECKAGE OF SMALL STEAMER**

AUCKLAND, N.Z., Dec. 16 (CP)—Prime Minister Peter Fraser of New Zealand today announced the finding at the Chatham Island of pieces of wreckage believed to be part of the small steamer Holwood which is a fortnight overdue from the Chatham Islands, 350 miles east of New Zealand.

The wreckage bore indications of shellfire, it was stated. (A German raider has been operating in the Southern Pacific, it has been indicated.)

"The Nazis don't make any blunder such as seizing the food outright," he said, "but they have subtler means."

"They buy all the food, and pay for it in worthless German marks, and this goes on all the time."

"The poorer people in France will see starvation this winter," he added.

**MAIL AND SHIPS**

**WEATHER REPORT**

ENTREVEAN — Overcast; southeast, light 20-30; heavy swell.

FRANCIS — Overcast; southeast, light 20-30; moderate swell.

PACHEWA — Overcast; southeast, light 20-30; moderate swell.

CAPE BRETON — Cloudy; calm; 30-35; light swell.

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**COASTING CRAFT**

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# JOE LOUIS STOPS MCCOY IN THE SIXTH ROUND

## Leafs, Canadiens And Rangers Take Ice Hockey Games

Toronto Continues Brilliant Drive Towards Title By Downing Chicago Again—New York Beats Americans Before Big Crowd—Young Montrealers Turn Back Detroit, 2-1

By JACK MITCHELL  
Canadian Press State Writer

On a club whose excellence in all departments has made every man a star, the palm for at least the most improved performance could be awarded today to Walter (Turk) Broda, who is having by far the best of four National Hockey League seasons as custodian of the Toronto Maple Leafs' nets.

Toronto added another pair of victories during the week-end to stretch their string to eight successive triumphs. Both were against Chicago and Broda held the Black Hawks to a total of two goals in the home-and-home series, giving the Leafs a 2-1 triumph in Toronto, Saturday night, and helping them repeat, 4-1, in Chicago last night.

The twin victories gave the Maple Leafs an eight-point lead over the second-place Detroit Red Wings, who were beaten, 2-1, by Montreal Canadiens in Detroit, Sunday afternoon. In the other week-end match, New York Rangers moved closer to fourth position with a 6-3 victory over their intra-city rivals, the Americans.

The two goals yielded to Chicago by Broda made it twenty-four times this season that opponents' shots have beaten him in fifteen games, of which thirteen have been victories for the Leafs and the other two losses.

In the Saturday night game before 10,889 fans in Toronto, Broda held the Black Hawks scoreless until late in the third period when Musch March caught the net.

In the N.H.L.'s first afternoon game at Detroit, the Canadiens spoiled merriment for \$2.32 Red Wings fans when Tony Demers gave them a victory with a goal in the last two minutes of overtime. Breaking a 1-1 deadlock, it came on a blazing shot that beat Goalie Johnny Mowers from about thirty-five feet out.

Bryan Hextall scored three goals to lead the Rangers to the victory over Americans. A crowd of 14,789, the best turnout this season, watched the game which marked the fifteenth anniversary of the introduction of major league hockey to New York.

### SUMMARIES

**Americans vs. Rangers**  
Officials: Mickey Ion and Bill Chadwick.

First Period—1, Rangers, L. Patrick (M. Colville), 5:40; 2, Rangers, Hextall (Watson, Hiller), 12:14; 3, Rangers, C. Smith (MacDonald, Pike), 14:36; 4, Americans, Thurier (Hunt, H. Jackson), 19:12. Penalties: Sorrell, M. Patrick, Watson, Pratt, Egan.

Second Period—5, Rangers, N. Colville, 3:08; 6, Americans, Thurier (Hunt, H. Jackson), 13:31. Penalties: Heller, Slobodan 2.

Third Period—7, Rangers, Hextall (Watson), 14:15; 8, Americans, Egan (Hunt), 15:23; 9, Rangers, Hextall, 19:40.

**Detroit vs. Montreal**

Referee: Frank Clancy; linesman, C. R. McVeigh.

First Period—1, Detroit, Garveit (Douglas, Wilder), 18:49. Penalties: Gettiffe, Orlando, Gouppile (misconduct).

Second Period—2, Canadiens, Benoit (Quilty, Blake), 2:30. Penalties: Chamberlain, Portland, Howe.

Third Period—No score. Penalty: Orlando.

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Liqueur SCOTCH WHISKY  
No. 1 in Taste!

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## One of Boston's Great Firing Lines



## NELSON WINS GOLF TOURNEY

Captures Top Honors and Money at 1000 Miami Open

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 16 (AP)—Byron Nelson, Jr., of the poetic golf swing, headed westward today with the \$500 top Miami open cheque but bereft of the prized Vardon Trophy.

Nelson played seventy-two holes for a 271 that gave him a final one-shot margin in the \$10,000 Miami open, but the year's honors for consistency went to Little Ben Hogan, of White Plains, N.Y.

Hogan finished third, four strokes behind Nelson, and his \$1,000 prize ran his total earnings for the year to \$10,655. Nelson was next at \$9,653 and Sam Snead, of Hot Springs, Va., third with \$9,201.

The Vardon Trophy, awarded annually by the Professional Golfers' Association to its most consistent member, changed from Nelson's hands to Hogan's.

### LEADING SCORERS

The leading scorers with money winnings:

Bryon Nelson, Toledo, 201-70-271; \$10,655.

Clayton Heafner, Lunville, N.C., 204-68-272; \$1,250.

Ben Hogan, White Plains, N.Y., 206-69-275; \$1,000.

Sam Snead, Hot Springs, Va., 206-71-277; \$650.

Willie Goggin, Miami, 209-68-277; \$650.

Mike Turnesa, Fairview, N.Y., 207-71-278; \$500.

Claude Harmon, Orlando, Fla., 211-68-279; \$350.

Ben Loving, Springfield, Mass., 204-70-279; \$350.

Jack Patroni, Manchester, Vt., 214-67-281; \$212.50.

Joseph A. Zarhardt, Norristown, Pa., 214-67-281; \$212.50.

Horton Smith, Oak Park, Ill., 213-69-281; \$212.50.

John Revolta, Evanston, Ill., 212-69-281; \$212.50.

Tony Fenna, Boca Raton, Fla., 213-282; \$137.50.

Harold McSpaden, Winchester, Mass., 206-74-282; \$137.50.

Art Clark, Summit, Pa., 212-72-283; \$81.25.

Frank Walsh, Rumson, N.J., 215-283; \$81.25.

Terl Johnson, Norristown, Pa., 211-72-283; \$81.25.

Ky Laffoon, Miami, Okla., 213-70-283; \$81.25.

George Fazio, Glenolden, Pa., 215-69-284; \$66.66.

Jimmy Hines, Great Neck, N.Y., 216-68-284; \$66.66.

Ed Dudley, Augusta, Ga., 213-71-284; \$66.66.

John A. Thoren, Newton, Mass., 215-70-285; \$31.25.

Jimmy McHale, Bala, Pa., 217-68-285; \$31.25.

Henry Picard, Hershey, Pa., 214-71-285; \$31.25.

Jimmy Demaret, Houston, 214-71-285; \$31.25.

### TABLE TENNIS

Macaulay "B" trounced Navy "B," 25-11, in an Inter-Service Table Tennis League fixture played last night at the Stratford Hotel.

Gunnars had a big margin in the second, and Phil Watson, of

Rangers, won three of the four doubles matches.

Sweeney Schriner, of Toronto,

## Hextall in Second Place in Race for Ice Scoring Honors

Member of Rangers' Squad Just Single Point Behind Billy Cowley—Drillon, Watson and Howe Are Tied for Third Position

MONTREAL, Dec. 16 (CP)—Two assists that Boston's Bill Cowley picked up during the last week kept him perched at the top of the National Hockey League scoring race, official league figures showed tonight.

Cowley, with five goals and twelve assists, retained his one-point lead, but this time it was Bryan Hextall, of Rangers, who was in second slot, with sixteen points. Hextall moved up from third during the week.

Toronto's Syl Apps was in third place, another point behind, after moving up from sixth position, while in fourth spot were Gordie Drillon, of Toronto; Syd Howe, of Detroit, who had dropped from second, and Phil Watson, of

Allen, G., Chicago, 6: 5 11 4

Wiesman, Boston, 6: 5 11 0

Metz, N., Toronto, 6: 6 11 4

Apps, Toronto, 7: 8 15 0

Drillon, Toronto, 8: 6 14 0

Howe, Detroit, 8: 8 14 6

Watson, Rangers, 8: 11 14 6

Conacher, R., Boston, 8: 5 13 0

Goldcup, Toronto, 8: 4 12 9

Schriner, Toronto, 10: 1 11 2

Moeller, Detroit, 7: 4 11 8

Allen, G., Chicago, 6: 5 11 4

Wares, Detroit, 8: 6 9 11

Colville, N., Rangers, 6: 6 11 4

Taylor, Toronto, 3: 7 10 2

Colville, M., Rangers, 3: 7 10 6

Langelie, Toronto, 2: 8 10 6

Demers, Canadiens, 6: 3 11 2

Abel, Detroit, 4: 5 9 15

Wares, Detroit, 3: 6 9 11

Giesebeck, Detroit, 2: 7 9 5

Dahlstrom, Chicago, 6: 2 8 4

March, Chicago, 4: 4 8 4

Schmidt, Boston, 4: 4 8 8

Bruneteau, Detroit, 3: 5 8 6

Thorne, Chicago, 2: 6 8 2

Conn, who was at the ringside

tonight, announced he was giving up the win.

He stated that he had been in the

ring since the opening half, but the lads

from the dockyard village managed

to slice the margin to a single goal

before the breather.

Alex Speller did all of the scoring

for the Saanich lads, while Barry Barnwell fired home Esquimalt's

first-half tally. Scotty Stewart

brought the equalizer well on the

final stanza.

Barney Barnwell, Scotty Stewart

and Fred Mills were the only

regulars in uniform.

**GAGE FIXTURES BILLED TONIGHT**

City cage league quintettes will

swing into action this evening at the Victoria High School gymnasium with three games billed on the regular Tuesday programme.

Here is the card:

7:00—Y.M.C.A. vs. Young Arrows, junior boys.

8:00—Young Dominos vs. Chinese Students, intermediate "B" boys.

9:00—Adverts vs. Cardinals, women's league.

**WEDNESDAY'S GAMES**

Fixtures billed Wednesday evening at the Victoria Sports Centre follow:

7:00—5th N.P.M.A. vs. Victors, senior "C" men.

8:00—Fairfield vs. Y.M.C.A., intermediate "B" boys.

9:00—Eagles vs. Chinese Students, senior "B" men.

**MUST HAVE ROOM**

"Numbers should be restricted at the annual dinner," said a member of the angling club.

"For what reason?" asked the chairman.

"Well, sir, there wasn't enough elbow room to talk last year."

**RETALIATION**

The little boy ran into the house crying bitterly.

"What's wrong?" asked his sister.

"That fellow out there hit me on the nose," came the tearful explanation.

"Well, why didn't you hit him back?"

"I hit him back first."

## COLORED CHAMPION AWARDED TECHNICAL KAYO BY OFFICIALS

Brown Bomber Hands Al McCoy Decisive Lacing For Five Full Rounds and Then Challenger Fails To Answer Bell for Sixth—Second Largest Crowd Seen in Boston Garden

Right from the start you knew Al wasn't going to be around for the fifteenth round and that it was just a question of time until the roof fell in on him.

### ROUND BY ROUND

**TRUMP**  
A GENUINE HAVANA SMOKE  
**DOUBLE VALUE ENJOYMENT**

... a real cigar containing Havana filler at the price a young man can afford ... a price that gives the fastidious smoker four times as many pleasant smokes as he gets from other brands. Why? Thousands have taken Canada by storm ... thousands smoking them every day ... millions being sold every month ... Your tobacconist has Trumps. Ask him. Buy by the box—50 for \$1.25.

**GUARANTEE**  
We guarantee that these cigars today at lower five cents contain Havana filler of the same quality as used in higher priced cigars blended with fine imported tobaccos ...

**Have YOU tried a TRUMP?**

**2 for 5¢**

**Slinger's**  
**WHITE PORT**

26 oz. 65¢ ½ Gal. \$1.20 40 oz. 90¢ Gal. \$3.10

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## FIVE TEAMS UNDEFEATED

Dominoes, Hornets, Collegians, Cards and Composites Unbeaten

Five of the thirty-nine cage quintettes playing under the jurisdiction of the Victoria and District Basketball League are still unbeaten, according to the official standings announced yesterday by Jack Taylor, schedule secretary. Quintettes who have been capable of toppling all opposition in league play include the Dominoes, Hornsby's Hornets, St. Louis College, Cardinals and Composites. In five of the eight sections, however, the race for the laurels is exceptionally keen, with prospects of many interesting battles before the winners are named.

Complete standings up to and including games of December 14, follow:

SENIOR "A" MEN	G. W. L. Pt.
Dominoes	8 8 0 16
Stn R.C.A.	9 5 4 10
T.A.C. Arrows	8 4 4 8
K.V.'s	8 4 4 8
West Road	9 0 0 0
SENIOR "B" MEN	G. W. L. Pt.
Eagles	6 4 2 8
Western Air Command	2 0 2 0

CHINESE STUDENTS	5 3 2 6
5th N.P.M.	6 3 3 6
Commercials	5 2 3 4
West Road	6 2 4 4
SENIOR "C" MEN	G. W. L. Pt.
Hornsbys Hornets	5 0 10
5th N.P.M.	4 1 3 2
Victors	5 1 4 2
INTERMEDIATE "A" BOYS	G. W. L. Pt.
Mantons Capitals	6 4 2 8
Douglas Cafe	6 3 3 6
Navy	6 2 4 4
INTERMEDIATE "B" BOYS	G. W. L. Pt.
Young Dominos	10 9 1 18
K.V.'s	11 9 1 18
Y.M.C.A.	10 8 4 12
Chinese Students	10 5 5 10
Fairfield	10 3 7 6
Cloverdale Aces	10 2 8 4
Hoyte Brown	11 2 9 4
JUNIOR BOYS	G. W. L. Pt.
St. Louis College	8 8 0 16
Fairfield Ramblers	8 5 3 10
Chinese Students	9 5 4 10
Young Arrows	9 3 6 6
K.V.'s	9 3 6 6
Y.M.C.A.	9 2 7 4
WOMEN'S LEAGUE	G. W. L. Pt.
Cardinals	6 5 0 12
Utilities	6 2 4 8
Adverts	5 1 4 2
SERVICE LEAGUE	G. W. L. Pt.
Composites	4 4 0 8
Navy	4 3 1 6
Motorcycles	4 3 1 6
13th Field Ambulance	4 2 1 6
Medicals	4 0 4 8
R.C.A.F.	2 0 2 0
Western Air Command	2 0 2 0

## FANS AWAIT BOXING DAY MATCH HERE

Rugby Enthusiasts All Keyed Up Over Showing by Crimson Tide

While Vancouver sport scribes continue to "pass the orchids" to Victoria's Crimson Tide for their splendid exhibition last Saturday on the Mainland, local rugger fans sit anxiously awaiting the Boxing Day match here, when they will have an opportunity of seeing the defending champions in action. Locals opened their 1940-41 defence of the McKelvie Cup with a smashing 24-0 triumph over the Terminal City fifteen, and Mainland fans are acclaiming the squad as the best to come from the British Columbia capital in many years.

Members of the executive of the Victoria Rugby Union, at their regular meeting yesterday in the Colonist board room, extended congratulations to Playing Coach Campbell Forbes and Manager Bob McInnes on the club's performance on the Mainland. Both the genial mentor and the coach spoke highly of the play of every member of the squad, and Manager McInnes was so far as to state that the team was the best to represent Victoria in the last fifteen years.

While not slugging out any particular player for his fine performance, the board of strategy was quick to admit that Pender Molaison, brilliant stand-off, and a newcomer to "Rep" Rugby, turned in a great exhibition. The young Canadian Scottish officer played his position perfectly and gave Victoria much added punch in this all-important position.

### TRAINING SESSIONS

But the Crimson Tide is not going to sit back and rest on the laurels gained in Vancouver. With the Boxing Day game little more than a week away, heavy training sessions will be the order. Three work-outs are listed prior to the holiday cup fixture with the Vancouver "Reps." Thursday evening the players will train at Macdonald Park, with a second session billed for Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Final pre-game workout is scheduled for next Monday at 7 o'clock.

With members of the forces going on furlough for the holiday season only one Barnard Cup match will be played this week, with the J.B.A. (5th B.C.) Const. Brigade (N.P.M.), as the two clubs scheduled to see action. The game will be played at Macdonald Park at 2:45 o'clock.

The British Columbia high school final will be played here on Saturday, December 28, with Kitsilano High School meeting a picked fifteen from Victoria and Oak Bay.

### ICE HOCKEY TEAM

Victoria's Durolid Raiders, in the Island Ice Hockey League, will make their second start tomorrow night in Nanaimo when they clash with Port Alberni. The team will leave from the Blue Line Inn, 12th Yates Street, at 5:30 and the following players will be asked to be on hand: Currie, Dumont, Fontana, Temple Cullin, Ritchie, Scott, Anderson, Duke, Hibberd, Lewis, McGill, Morgan, Stevenson, Lawrence, and Cranston.

### ICE GAMES SWITCHED

VANCOUVER, Dec. 16 (CP)—Officials of the Pacific Coast Hockey League announced several changes in the league schedule today. Seattle will replace Spokane in Vancouver on December 25, and the game between Portland and Seattle, scheduled for December 25, will be played December 27. Spokane will play in Seattle January 3 instead of January 1, and the game between Seattle and Vancouver, scheduled for February 14, was canceled.

## AROUND the DIAL

### TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

4:00 p.m.—"Wings of the Empire" will salute the Empire Air Training scheme on its first anniversary. CBR.

NEWS BROADCASTS TODAY

Morning—8:00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX, 8:15, CFCT, KIRO, 8:30, KOL, 9:00, CBR, KJR, 10:00, KOL, 10:45, CBR, CJOR, KJR, 11:45, KOL, 12 noon, KOL.

Afternoon—12:30, CBR, CJOR, KJR, 2:45, CBR, CJOR, KJR, 4:15, KOMO, KIRO, CJOR, 4:45, CBR, 5:00, KIRO.

Evening—6:15, KJR, 6:30, KJR, CPCT, 7:00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX, 7:15, KOL, 7:30, CBR, CKWX, 7:45, KIRO, 8:00, CJOR, 9:30, KJR, 10:00, KOMO, CKWX, 10:15, KJR, 11:45, KJR, KOMO, KJR.

12:45 P.M.—Immortal Music (CBR), Easy Accts (KJR).

1:15 P.M.—Dance Orchestra (KOMO), The Singers (CJOR), The Showmen (CKWX).

2:15 P.M.—Mid-Day Musicals (CBR), 4:00 P.M.—Vic and Bed (KOMO), 5:00 P.M.—The Man (KJR), News at Noon (KIRO), Melody Supplement (KOMO), House Folks Frolis (CJOR).

3:00 P.M.—School of the Air of the Americas (CBR), 4:00 P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX), 5:00 P.M.—Against the Storm (KOMO), Father and Son Programme (CKWX), Home Folks (CJOR).

3:15 A.M.—Clark Dennis, tenor (CBR), 4:00 P.M.—The Weather (CBR), 5:00 P.M.—The Man (KJR), 6:00 P.M.—Just Between Friends (KJR), 7:00 P.M.—The Man (KJR), 8:00 P.M.—The Man (KJR), Christmas Carols (CKWX).

8:45 A.M.—Lynn Henderson, pianist, ship of Joy Capt. Dobbs (KOMO), Ann Sterling Wonders (KIRO), By Kathleen Norris (KIRO), Dr. John G. T. Morris (KJR), Christmas Carol (CKWX).

9:00 A.M.—News (CBR, KJR), Kate Smith's Naughty Chat (KJR), KOMO, 10:00 A.M.—Lynn Henderson, pianist, ship of Joy Capt. Dobbs (KOMO), Ann Sterling Wonders (KIRO), By Kathleen Norris (KIRO), Dr. John G. T. Morris (KJR), Christmas Carol (CKWX).

12:15 P.M.—Belle Daines (KOMO), 1:15 P.M.—Lynn Solly (KJR), 2:15 P.M.—Music Box (KJR), 3:00 P.M.—Sheila Sullivan Reviews the News (KIRO), Haven of Rest (KOL), Dance Orchestra (CJOR).

3:15 P.M.—School of the Air of the Rockies (CBR), 4:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KOMO), Mother of Mine (KJR), 5:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KIRO), 6:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 7:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 8:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 9:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 10:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 11:00 P.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 12:00 M.N.—Music Hour (KJR), 1:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 2:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 3:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 4:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 5:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 6:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 7:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 8:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 9:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 10:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 11:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 12:00 M.N.—Music Hour (KJR), 1:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 2:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 3:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 4:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 5:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 6:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 7:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 8:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 9:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 10:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 11:00 A.M.—Music Hour (KJR), 12:00 M.N.—Music Hour 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1 BIRTHS

OLIVER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital to Major and Mrs. W. S. Oliver their third, a daughter, born December 16.

2 DEATHS

SAYLOR—At the family residence, 2000 Bay Street, on Saturday, December 14, 1940, Joseph Saylor, and seventy-three years old, husband of Mrs. Saylor, late Mrs. Saylor had been a resident of Victoria for many years. He died in his ninetieth year. There remain to survive his passing, besides his loving wife, C. E. Ewell, of Seattle, Wash., and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Ewell, of Victoria, and Misses Dorothy and Helen Ewell, of Victoria.

EMETHURST—Suddenly, on December 13, 1940, James Emethurst, of 1110 Princess in Victoria, the son of the late William and Martha Emethurst, who predeceased him in 1930, and he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Anne, Mrs. Mabel, and Mrs. Anna, Misses Emethurst, teacher at Oaklands School, and Miss Gertrude Emethurst, of Victoria.

W. S. SMITH, of Walla Walla, Wash., two grandchildren, Lorree and Ralph Smith, and two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Brothers of this city.

EARL—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, after a brief illness, George Harold Earl, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl, in Vancouver, the late Mr. Powell, who was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, and he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. P. W. Rutina, of Victoria, and Mrs. C. E. Ewell, of Seattle, Wash., and one son, Mr. and Mrs. John Ewell, of Victoria.

FOWLES—These passed away Sunday, December 13, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, after a very brief illness, George Harold Fowles, of Victoria, the late Mr. Powell, who was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, and he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. P. W. Rutina, of Victoria, and Mrs. C. E. Ewell, of Seattle, Wash., and one son, Mr. and Mrs. John Ewell, of Victoria.

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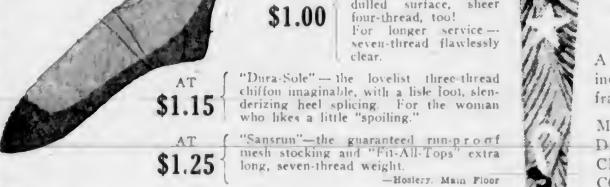


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To  
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With Dainty Things  
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WINE  
TAN  
BROWN  
NAVY

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Fancy Wrapping Paper in very Christmassy designs. Packets 10¢ and 15¢	Cellophane in great variety 10¢ Seals, Tags and Enclosure Cards, 10¢
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Silver, Gold, Red, Blue and Green Tinsel Ribbons 10¢	—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

## What Today Means

### "SAGITTARIUS"

If December 17 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.; from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., and from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m.; from 6:30 to

8:30 p.m., and from 10:30 p.m. until midnight.

Do not be in too much of a hurry on December 17 if you wish to avoid making mistakes, or having an accident. An obsession to be speedy will involve many people in trouble, particularly drivers of motor vehicles and manual laborers who for one reason or another want to finish their work. Free advice may prove costly unless it is carefully weighed on this date and given by

people who are in a position to know what they are talking about. There is apt to be a great deal of skepticism on this date, and there will probably be many cases where seeing will be believing. Thoughtless contradictions will be the cause for a good many apologies being made on this day, so do not be too quick to think that someone else is wrong and you are right. Married and engaged couples, and those who are entertaining matrimonial hopes,

will display good judgment if they take time for a full discussion of matters that require the making of any important decision.

If a woman and December 17 is your birthday, be careful that ambition does not make you resentful of offers to help you climb the ladder of success for fear that assistance may detract from your personal achievements. Do not let constructive criticism offend you, particularly if offered by a person whose

personal experience qualifies them to express that criticism. Through dramatic, literary, educational, social welfare, musical, artistic or specialized commercial work, you may find yourself prosperous and widely known. Your matrimonial prospects seem to be bright and free from serious complications.

If a man and December 17 is your natal day, to be happy let your charity start at home. Temper your frankness with tact, especially in your dealings with the public. Polite, if possible, your natural bent, particularly if you are keenly in-

terested in painting, acting, writing, teaching, selling, journalism, law, medicine, inventing, farming, engineering, or work of a promotional nature. There are many indications that you will have opportunities for great financial gains and widespread popularity.

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**ALMOST AS BAD**

The master of the house, exasperated beyond endurance by the cooking, had the cook up before him. After a long tirade upon her shortcomings, he pointed to the table.

"Look at that piece of bacon I've served to your mistress," he said. "Absolutely uneatable! And this piece I've taken myself isn't much better."

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